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FOREWORD

It has been our aim in publishing this book to create a vivid account of the history of Ames High for the year 1929.

We have endeavored to portray the many phases of our school life, our studies, athletics, arts, and fun.

We hope that in the future years this volume will ever prove a means of revealing "Shadows of the Past."

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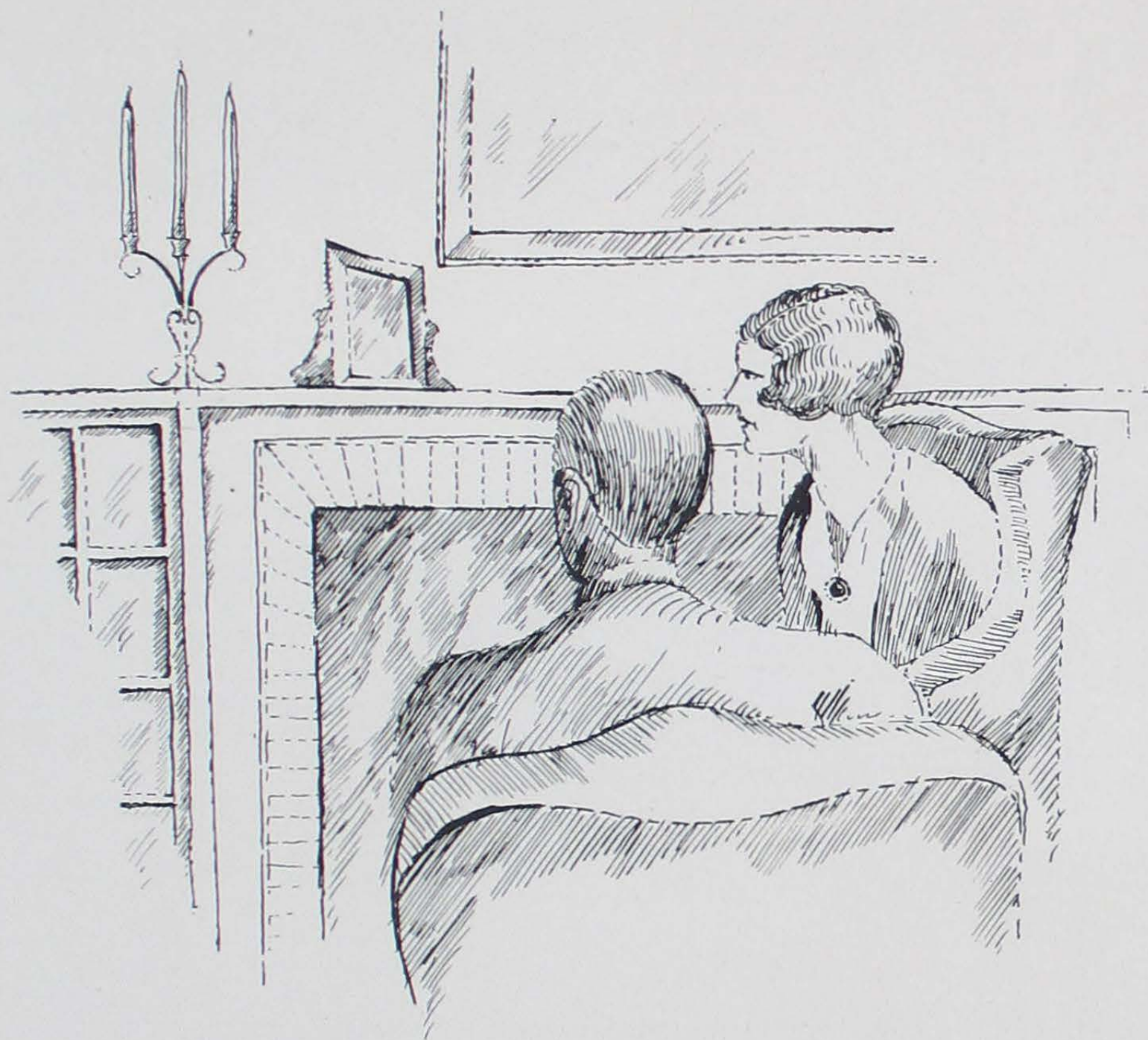
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DEDICATION

Because we have chosen "Shadows of the Past" as our theme for this year's "Spirit," and because in scanning through the past history of our school our Mothers and Fathers have ever held the lead in developing Ames High School; we, therefore, dedicate this annual to them, Our Parents.

May this be a token of the appreciation we feel toward you, Mothers and Fathers, for the inspiration and guidance you have given us during our High School career.



SHADOWS OF THE PAST

Events in the seventy-five years of Ames' history were again lived over at the Diamond Jubilee, a great celebration of the progress of Story County.

Many old settlers gathered here to relate their memories of incidents that occurred in Old Ames. Dusty trunks were delved into, and old photo albums were unearthed to be placed on exhibit.

Interesting tales were told of Old Ames High, how our mothers and fathers, possibly some of our grandparents attended school in the old brick building then called Central School.

Likewise many pioneers of Ames were able to recall how their city received its name. Railroad fortunes, donation of a sweet-toned church bell, and an appreciative response by the grateful congregation are the primary reasons why the largest town in the county now bears the name of Ames. Congressman Oakes Ames donated the bell to the promising little village because of his railroad interests here. It was only natural then, for the villagers to show their appreciation in the manner they did.

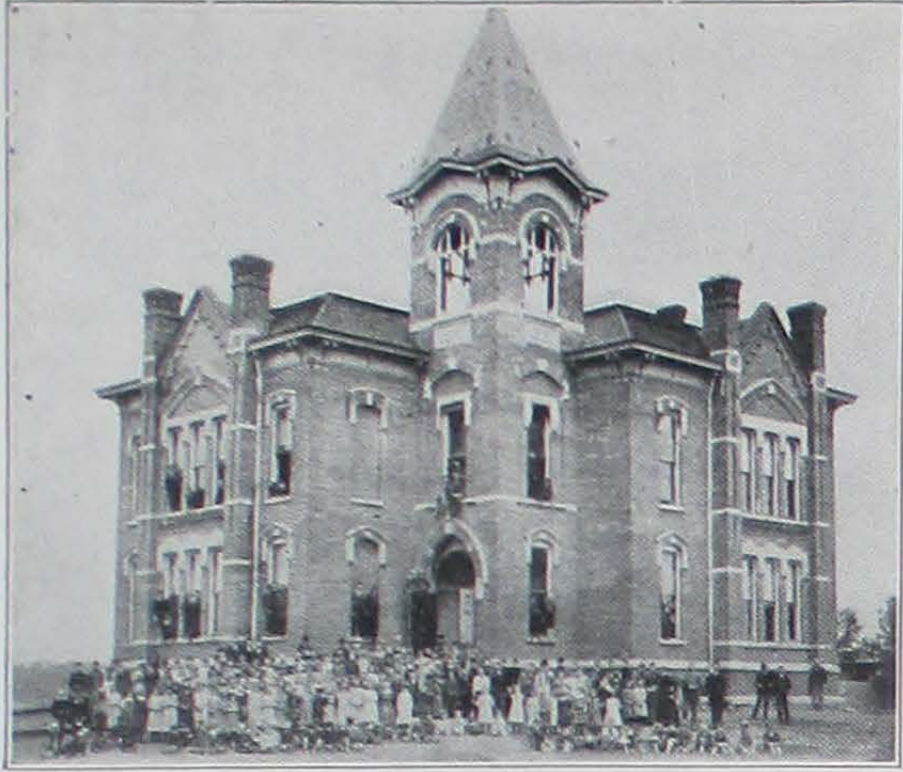
The original town of Ames reached out to Eighth on the north, to the railroad tracks on the south, to Burnett Avenue on the west, and to Duff Avenue on the east. When street lamps were first installed it was considered a great extravagance, while the first town pump on Main Street soon became the public gathering-place, where the men would come to chew tobacco and discuss politics.

Young folks back in the '70s had their fun in the old hall over the blacksmith shop. There in that primitive hall the young couples would dance till midnight with the greatest of glee.

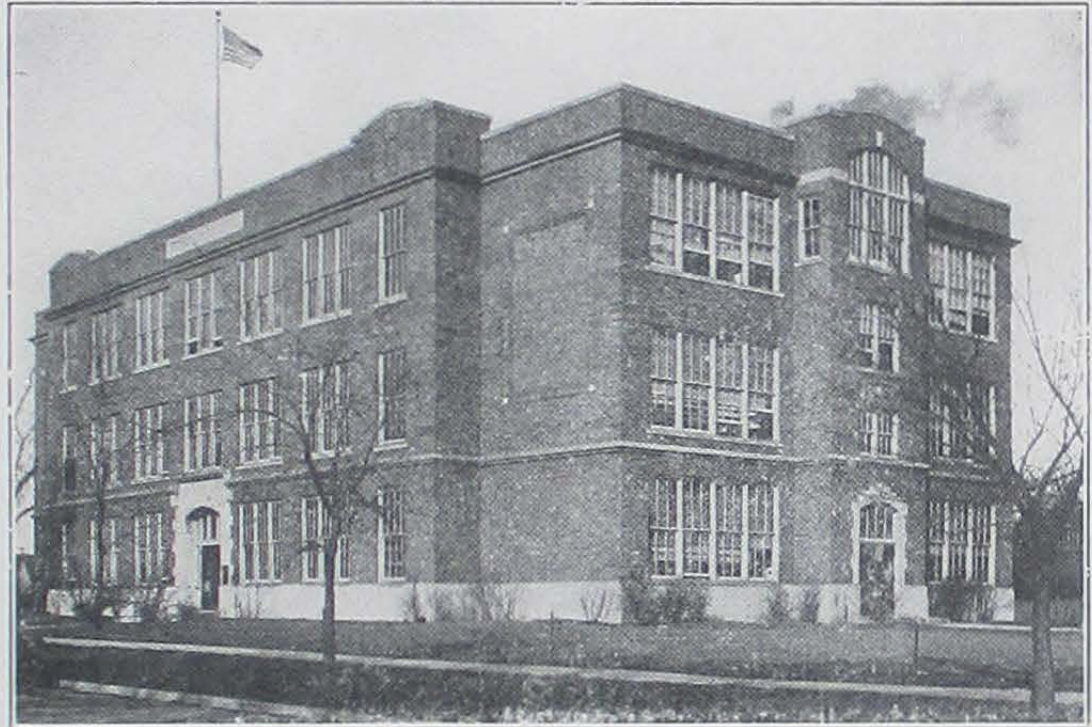
These stories of the past were very well portrayed during the Diamond Jubilee by a pageant, "Giants in the Earth." It related how the four great giants—Isolation, Poverty, Ignorance, and Irreverence—were finally quelled by the founders and builders of the county.

But this Diamond Jubilee can only remind the present generations of the shadows of the past, and it is because the Spirit Staff wish to preserve the memories of Old Ames that they may inspire the future Ames High Students that we devote this section of our book to deputing the progress of Ames, Iowa.





Old Ames High



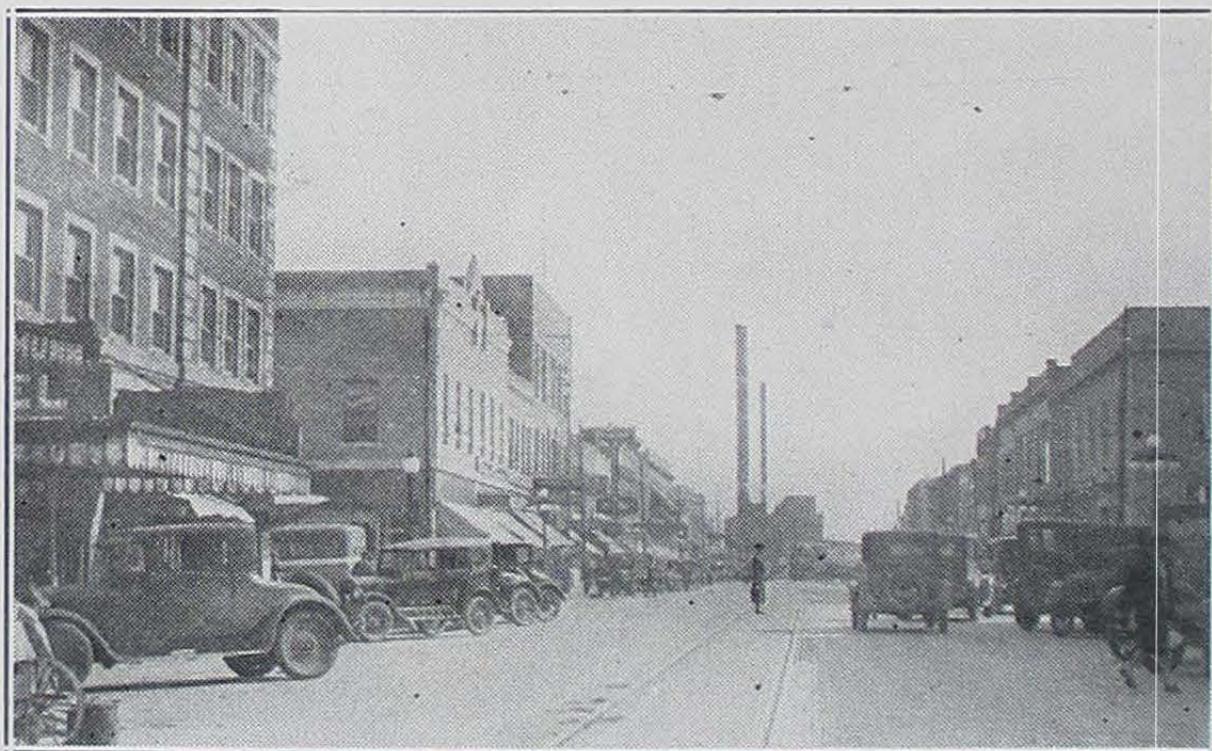
New Ames High



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OLD CITY HALL AND JAIL



OLD LIVERY BARN



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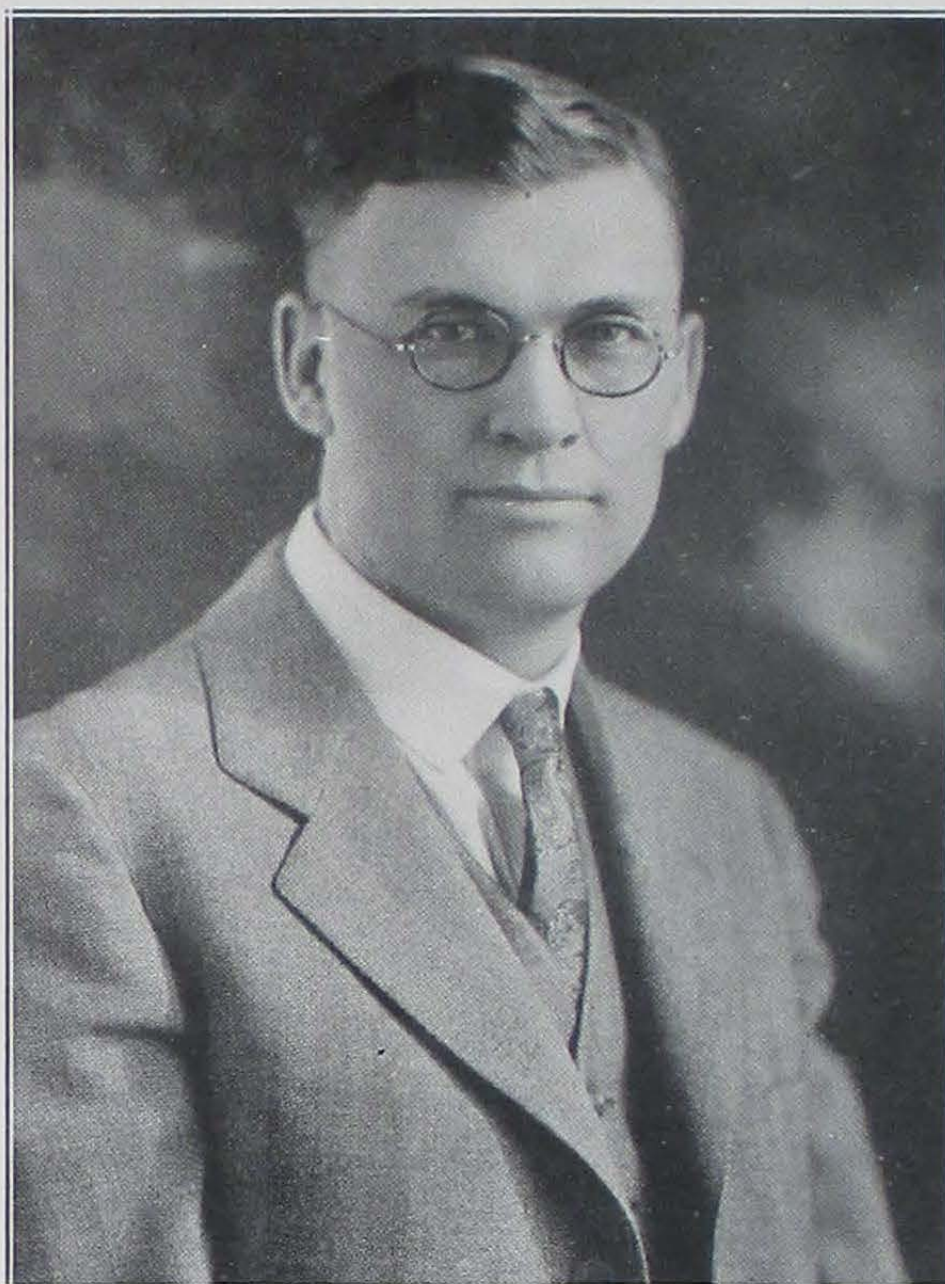


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MR. P. L. DAVIS

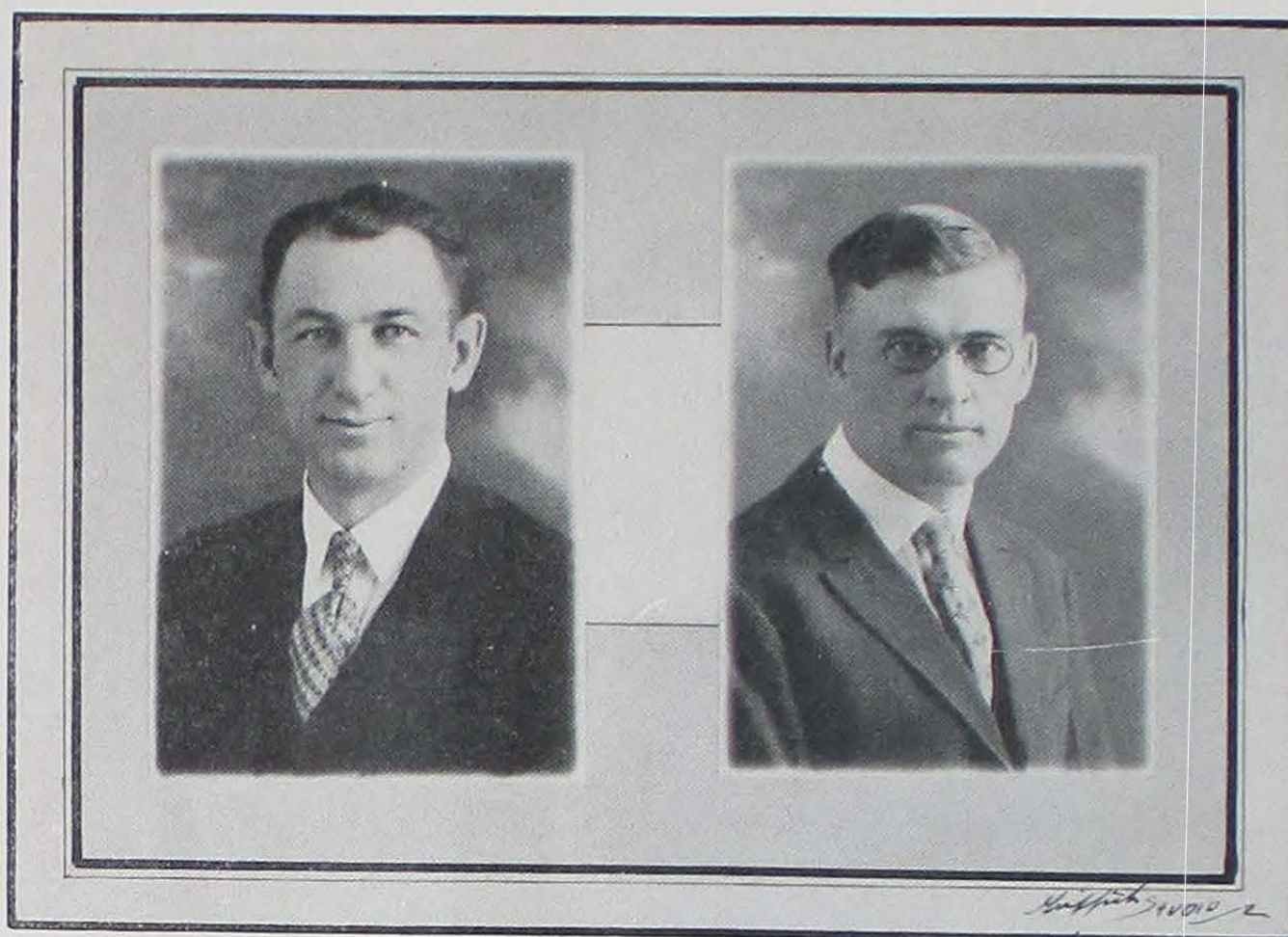
Four years ago, Mr. Davis took up the role of principal of Ames Senior High. During this time he has been a true friend to all the students.

Patience, loyalty, sympathetic understanding, and a kindness toward all are qualities that will be long remembered by those who have worked under his leadership.

It is with honor that the class of 1929 pay their respects to him as he leaves Ames High the same year they graduate.



ADMINISTRATION



M. G. Davis
Superintendent of Schools

P. L. Davis
Principal



Irma Flickinger
Secretary—Principal's Office

Elizabeth Anderson
Secretary—Superintendent's Office

J. S. Vanderlinden
J. S. VANDERLINDEN
Social Science

Fifth year

MRS. ORA ANDERSON
Mathematics

Ninth year

Mrs Ora Anderson

MRS. ELIZABETH BEANBLOSSOM

Commercial

Fourth year

MISS EDNA BOWER
Music

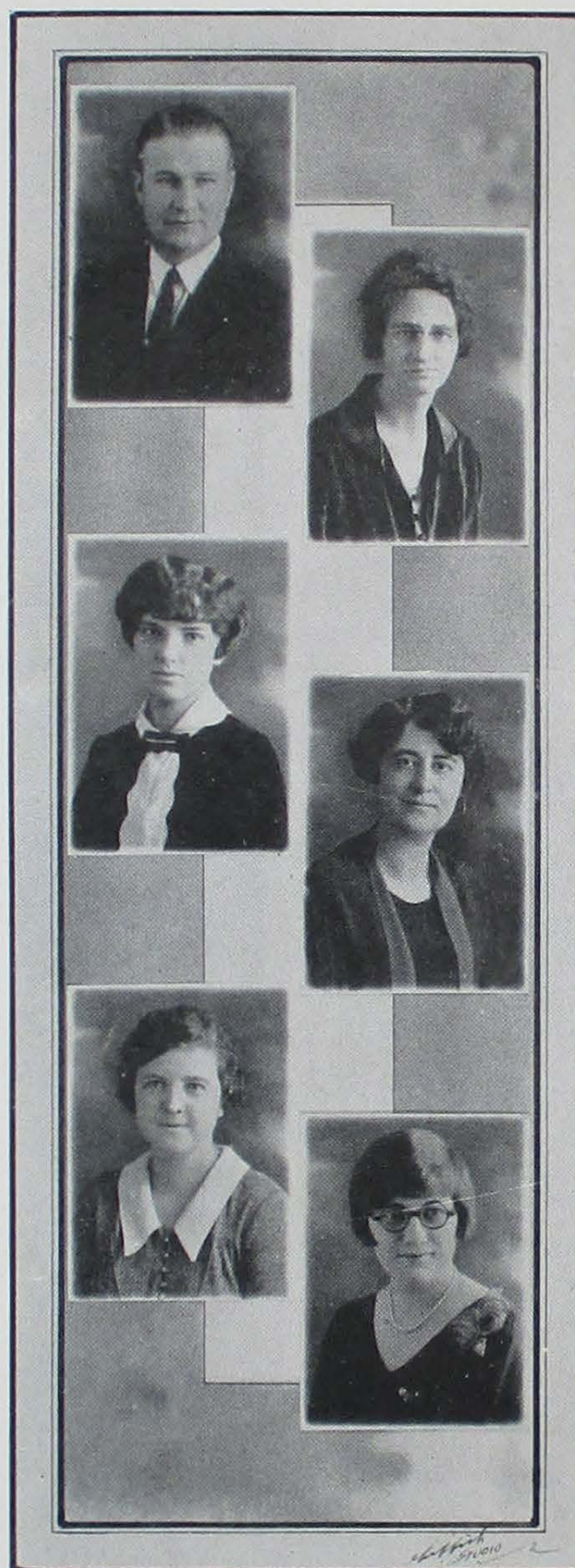
Sixth year

MISS MADALENE CANVIN
Commercial

Fourth year

MISS MILDRED CODER
Physical Education

Third year





G. M. CAMPBELL Sixth year
Physical Education

R. D. DAY Second year
Band and Orchestra

MRS. JOHN FITZSIMMONS Third year
Home Economics

MRS. FERN GAUNT First year
Speech

MISS SARA GOVE Fifth year
Social Science

MISS HENRIETTA GRONLID Second year
School Nurse

J. E. HARLAN Fifth year
Mechanical Drawing

J. H. HARMS Science Second year

MISS FERN HARTSOOK First year
Latin, Social Science

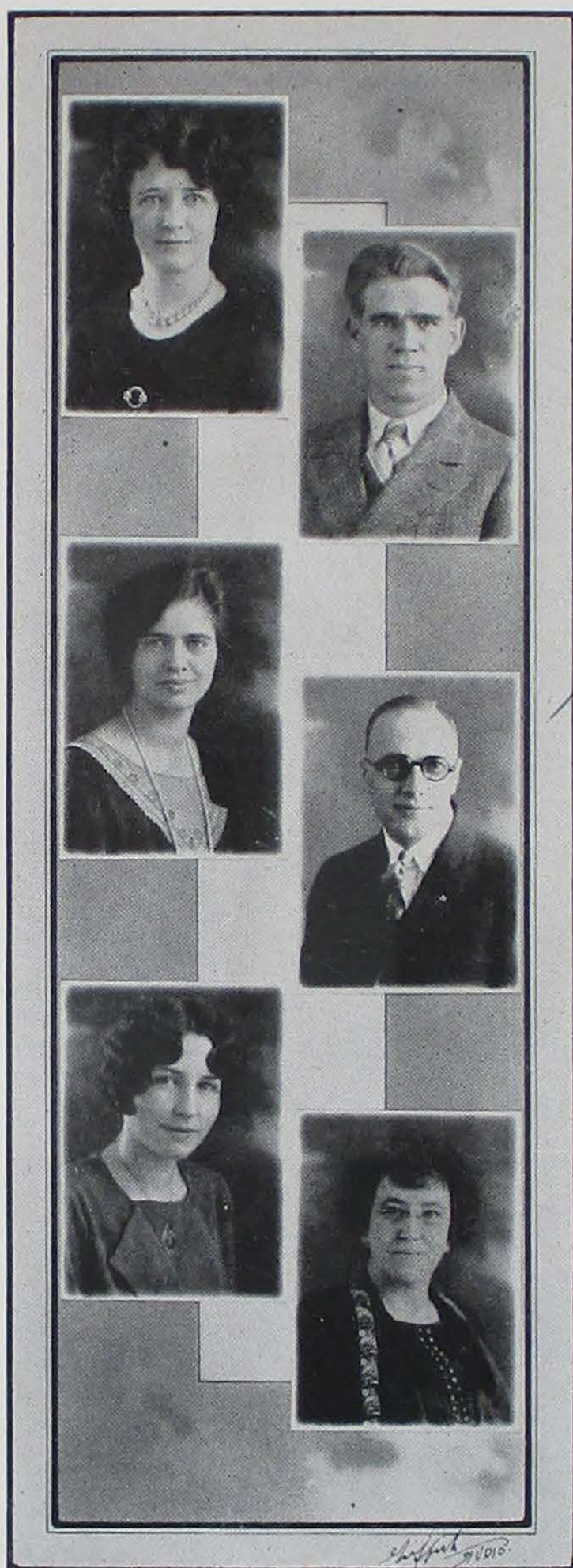
MISS SUSANNA KINNIER Third year
English

MISS MARJORIE LYNCH Eighth year
English, Dramatics

P. W. MITCHELL First year
Manual Training

MISS HELEN McMAINS Second year
Music





MISS MARIE QUINN First year
Library

Marie Quinn

C. S. ROBERTS Second year
Mathematics, Coach

C. S. Roberts

MISS ETHEL SEAMAN Fifth year
History

Good Luck to you.
Ethel L. Seaman

H. B. SWANSON Fourth year
Vocational Agriculture

MISS HAZEL TINGLEY First year
French, English

MRS. ANNA YOUNG Sixth year
Commercial



MRS. ANNA YOUNG

Her life, as a torch placed upon the Highway of Life, has been the beacon light that has led the faltering and the uncertain; the daring and the brave out into the broader paths of Life and Service.

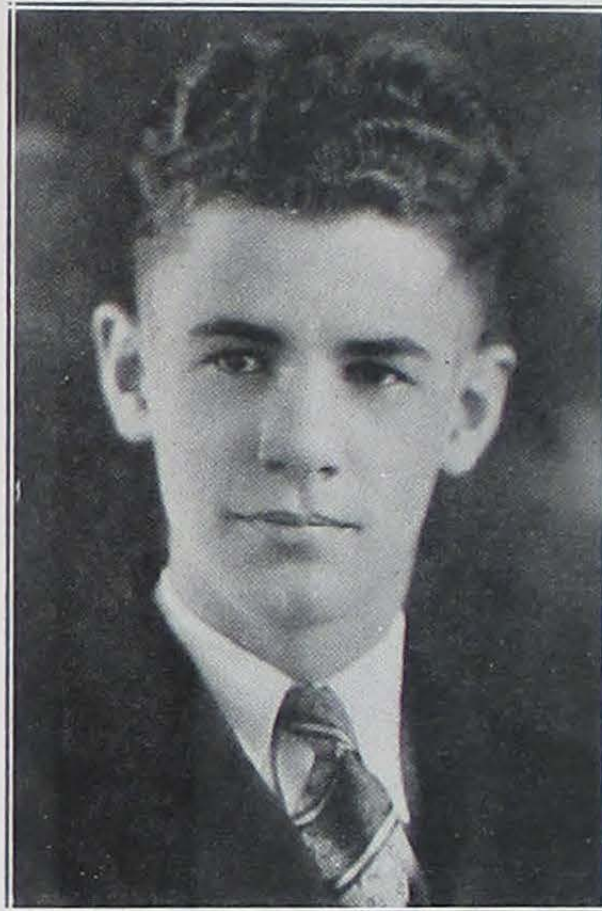
Though illness has removed her from us, her never-ending influence will continue to kindle within us, Ambition, Honor, and Truth.

Hundreds of students stand as a fitting monument to her untiring efforts and sacrificial spirit.



SENIOR

In Memoriam



STERLING OLSEN

*One has gone from our rank and file,
One ever royal and true,
One, we miss as the days pass on,
One ever ready to do.*

*But e'en though one should die so young
And leave this world so fair;
Yet will we say, "Thy will be done,"
And live in memories dear.*



Top row: Loyd, Batman, Daubert, Coe, Pickett, Arnold.
Lower row: Pettit, Esval, Bill, Mrs. Anderson, Baker, Sill, Havens.

SENIOR SENATE

CLASS OFFICERS

President	Louis Havens
Vice President	Paul Coe
Secretary and Treasurer	Albert Batman

Home Room Presidents:

Llewellyn Pickett
Paul Coe
Pauline Bills
LeRoy Daubert
Marjorie Sill

Home Room Representatives:

Signe Esval
Dale Arnold
Glennon Loyd
Leone Baker
Franklin Pettit

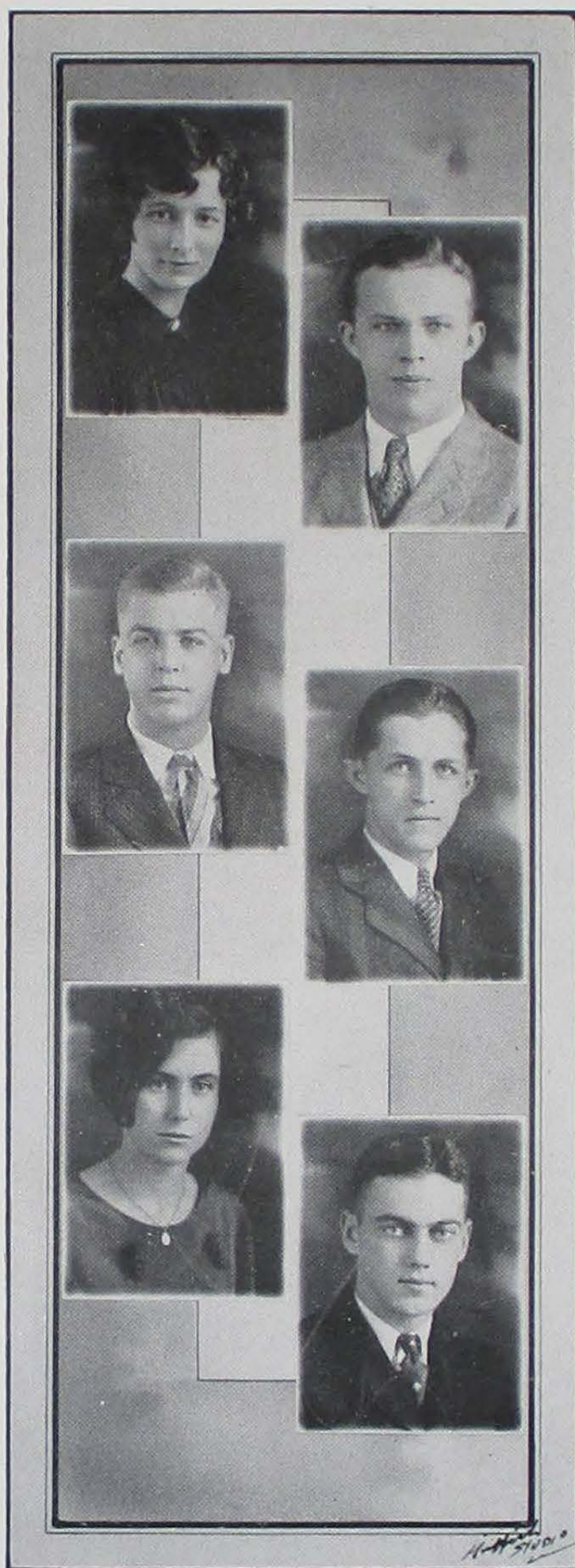
The Senior Senate was organized at the beginning of the school year in 1928, making the pupils, whose pictures are above, charter members of the organization.

The Senate was composed of the three elective officers from the class of '29, a president from each of the five senior home rooms, and a representative from each senior home room. These representatives acted as chairmen of one of the standing committees. These committees were: 1—Activity, 2—Class Play, 3—Class Night, 4—Senior Assembly, 5—Social.

Mrs. Anderson was the appointed adviser of the Senate, but she asked each of the senior home room teachers to be assistant sponsors.

The purpose of the Senior Senate was to solve the Senior problems more systematically, and at the same time give each student an opportunity to express his individual opinion.

MARJORIE SILL, '29.



Alice Agg

ALICE AGG

"Al"

Angular, authentic, animated, apt

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Glee Club, '27, '28; Pep Club, '28, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Tennis, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Minor "A," '29; Dramatics, '27; Junior Class Play, '28; Operetta, '27, '28; Student Council, '28; "Web" Staff, '29; Class Officer, '27, '28.

MERRILL ALEXANDER

"Alec"

Magnetic, majestic, arbitrary, admirable

Football, '27, '29; Track, '28; Wrestling, '28, '29; Class Track, '28; Class Wrestling, '29.

KENNETH ALLEN

Knowable, kind, assertive, automatic

"A" Club, '29; Mixed Chorus, '28; Boys' Glee Club, '28; Basketball, '26, '29; Football, '27, '29; Track, '26, '27, '28; Tennis, '29; Wrestling, '28; Senior Class Play, '29.

MARVIN ALM

"Marv"

Munificent, methodical, average, attentive

Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29.

MARGARET ANDREW

"Sis"

Maximal, marvelous, ambitious, all right

North Grant High School, '26, '27; Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Declamatory, '28; "Web" Staff, '29; Honor Society, '29; Girls' Baseball, '28; Quill and Scroll, '29.

DALE ARNOLD

"Bugs"

Dangerous, dandy, august, argumentative

Hi-Y, '27; Mixed Chorus, '29; Basketball, '26, '27, '28, '29; Football, '26, '27, '28, '29; Football Captain, '29; Track, '26, '27; Dramatics, '28; Senior Senate, '29; Class Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Class Track, '27; Business Manager Senior Class Play, '29.

LEONE BAKER

"Bake"

Lovely, laborious, benign, beneficent

Grand Junction High School, '26, '27, '28;
Girl Reserves, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '29;
Commercial Club, '29; Senior Senate, '29.

LOWELL BALL

"Claude"

Laudable, long, boisterous, brave

Hi-Y, '27; Band, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28,
'29; Dramatics, '29.

ALBERT BATMAN

"Al"

Abstinent, artistic, balmy, blithe

Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Declamatory, '29; Dra-
matics, '29; Secretary-Treasurer of Class,
'29; Vocational Typing, '29; Senior Senate,
'29; Senior Class Play, '29; Dramatic Class
Play, '29.

MARGARET BERG

"Peggy"

Magnificent, mannerly, blushable, benevolent

Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29;
Dramatics, '28; Bible Study, '29.

PAULINE BILLS

"Billie"

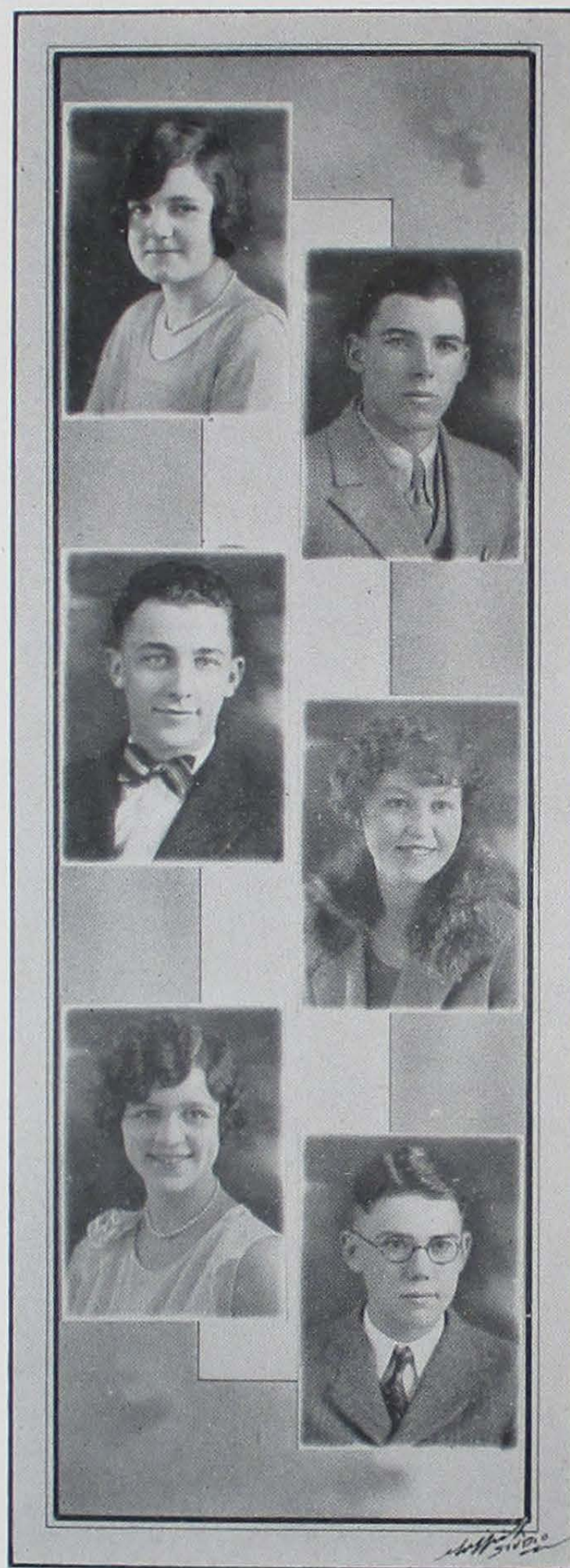
Patrician, pacific, beautiful, believable

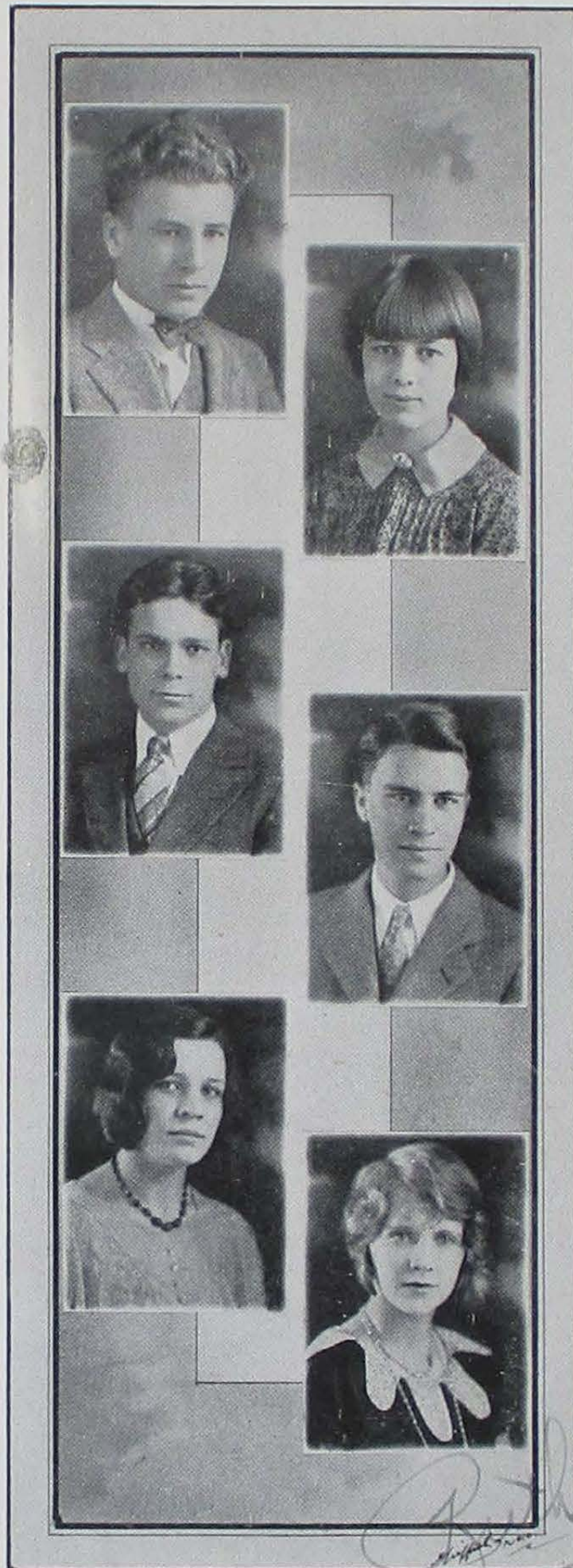
Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Commercial Club,
'28, '29; Art Club, '28, '29; Student Coun-
cil, '29; Senior Senate, '29.

FARWELL BROWN

Fair, fine, bright, beaming

"A" Club, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y
Cabinet, '28, '29; Orchestra, '28, '29; Bas-
ketball, '27; Track, '28.





RANSOM BROWN

"Curly"

Radiant, rapid, buoyant, bluffer

Football, '28; Wrestling, '26, '27, '28; Dramatics, '28.

DOROTHY BURNETT

"Dot"

Demure, darling, behooveful, bashful

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '28, '29; G. A. A. Council, '28, '29; President of same, '29; Girl Reserve Emblem, '27; Girls' Basketball, '28; Girls' Baseball, '27; Girls' Tennis, '28; Girls' Volleyball, '29; Dramatics, '27.

DOYLE BUTTOLPH

Dear, daring, brunette, brotherly

Hi-Y, '28, '29; Track, '28, '29; Wrestling, '29; Class Wrestling, '29.

GERALD BYERS

"Jerry"

Gentle, gladsome, beloved, benignant

Hi-Y, '29; Band, '29; Orchestra, '29; President of same, '29; Student Treasurer, '29.

PHYLLIS CAMPBELL

"Philly"

Pretty, polite, courteous, conservative

Girl Reserves, '29; Band, '29; Orchestra, '29

RUTH CARR

"Snuggles"

Representative, responsive, clever, capable

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27; Pep Club, '29; Commercial Club, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29; Dramatics, '27, '28; "Web" Staff, '29; Bible Study, '27.

Paul Coe

PAUL COE

Particular, peppy, commendable, creditable

Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y Cabinet, '28, '29;
Vocational Typing, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '28,
'29, Business Manager, '29; Football, '26,
'27; Business Manager of Junior Class
Play, '28; Student Council, '28, '29; Vice
President of Class, '29; Senior Senate, '29;
Vice President of same, '29; Golf, '28;
Dramatic Club, '29; Senior Class Play,
'29; Dramatic Class Play, '29.

MARJORIE CUNNINGHAM

"Marg"

Masterful, musical, calm, cultured

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Glee Club,
'27, '28; Mixed Chorus, '29; Pep Club, '28,
'29; President of same, '29; "Spirit" Staff,
'27; Girls' Tennis, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29;
Art Club, '28; Operetta, '27, '28, '29;
"Web" Staff, '29; Honor Society, '29.

LEROY DAUBERT

Liberal, likeable, dapper, daring

"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29;
Basketball, '26, '27, '28, '29; Class Wres-
tling, '27, '28; Dramatics, '27; Student
Council, '28, '29; President of same, '28,
'29; Class Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Class
Track, '27, '28, '29; Senior Senate, '29;
Football, '27, '28, '29; Track, '27, '28, '29;
Basketball Captain, '29.

ROBERT DAVIS

"Bob"

Reflective, reliant, durable, decisive

"A" Club, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28; Football,
'29; Track, '28, '29; Wrestling, '28, '29;
Dramatics, '28.

ZINABELL DIXON

"Zinie"

Zealous, zetetic, dutiful, delightful

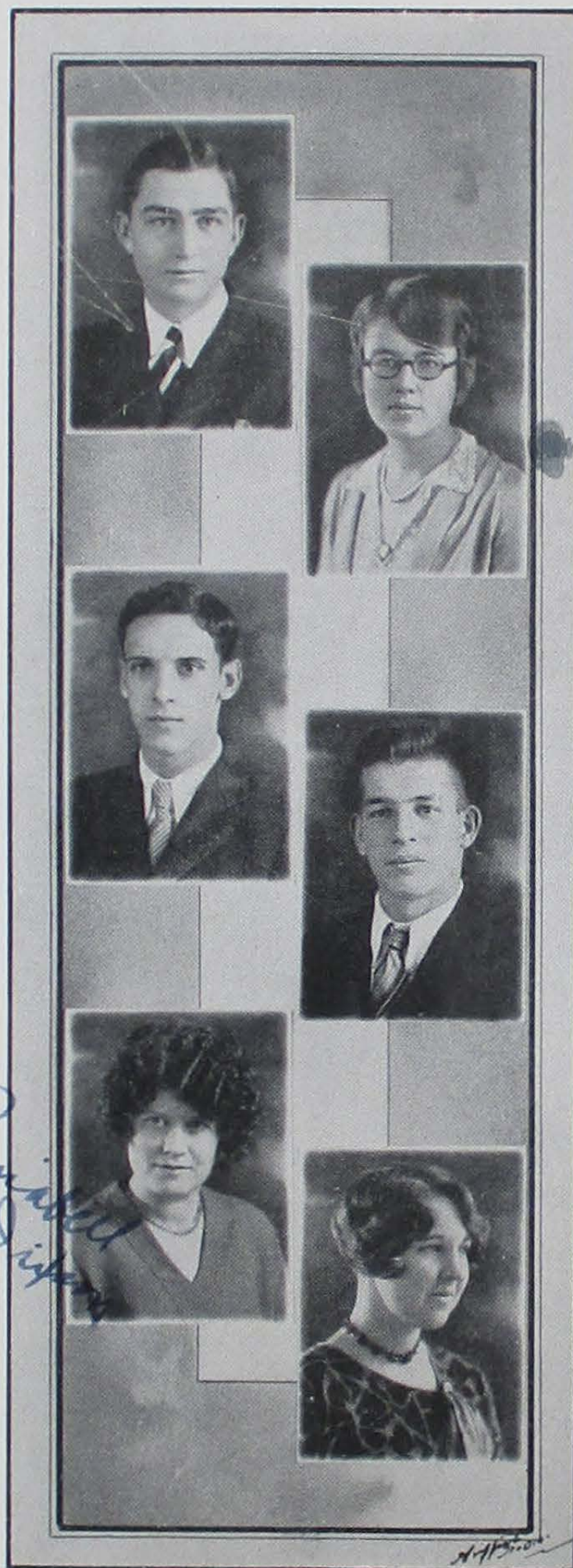
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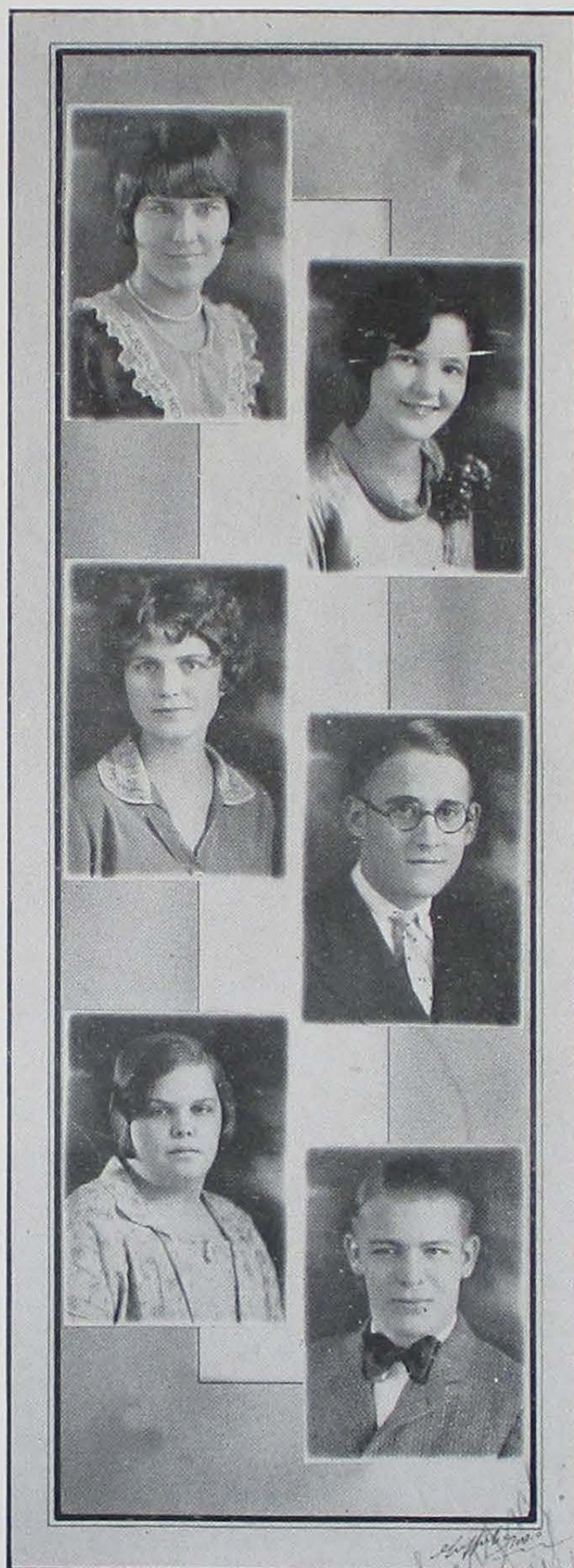
MARJORIE DUNLAP

"Marnie"

Magnetic, masterful, dauntless, dazzling

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cab-
inet, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Girls' Bas-
ketball, '28; Girls' Volleyball, '28, '29;
Girls' Baseball, '27, '28; Student Council,
'28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Class Treasurer,
'27, '28.





LOYA DURRELL

"Punchy"

Lean, lavish, decisive, designing

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Tennis, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Dramatics, '27, '28; Bible Study, '27, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27.

AVIS EDWINSON

"Abbie"

Able, agreeable, efficient, economic

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '28; Mixed Chorus, '27, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Operetta, '27, '28, '29.

SIGNE ESVAL

"Sig"

Sophisticated, sunny, elegant, excusable

Girl Reserves, '27, '28; Commercial Club, '29; Senior Senate, '29; Girls' Basketball, '28, '29.

WILLIAM EVANS

"Bill"

Wholesome, witty, energetic, enticing

Hi-Y, '27, '28; Tennis, '27; Debate, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; Student Council, '28; "Web," '28, '29; Honor Society, '28, '29.

FLORENCE FARBER

Faithful, fearless, fervent, fantastic

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '29; Declamatory, '27; Dramatics, '28, '29.

WAYNE FLICKINGER

"Flick"

Well-bred, worthy, faultless, fashionable

Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y Cabinet, '27, '28, '29; President of same, '28; Band, '28, '29; Orchestra, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '28, '29; Basketball, '28; Football, '27, '28, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; Operetta, '29; National Honor Society, '28, '29; President of same, '29; Senior Class Play, '29.

DOROTHY GEHRINGER

"Dot"

Dramatic, dreaming, game, gay

"A" Club, '29; Girl Reserves, '29; Girls' Basketball, '29; G. A. A., '29; Declamatory, '29.

DORIS GOODWIN

Demanding, discreet, garnish, glad

Girl Reserves, '27, '28; Dramatics, '29; "Web" Staff, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27.

BERTHA HALL

"Bert"

Brilliant, brave, happy, hopeful

Girl Reserves, '28; "Spirit" Staff, '29; Dramatics, '27, '28, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; "Web" Staff, '28; Quill and Scroll, '29.

NORMAN HARVEY

"Norm"

Neat, noble, honest, handy

Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Band, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29; Basketball, '27, '28; Tennis, '28; "Web" Staff, '28; National Honor Society, '29; Student Treasurer, '29; Chairman Finance Committee, '28.

LOUIS HAVENS

"Louie"

Laborious, likeable, handsome, helpful

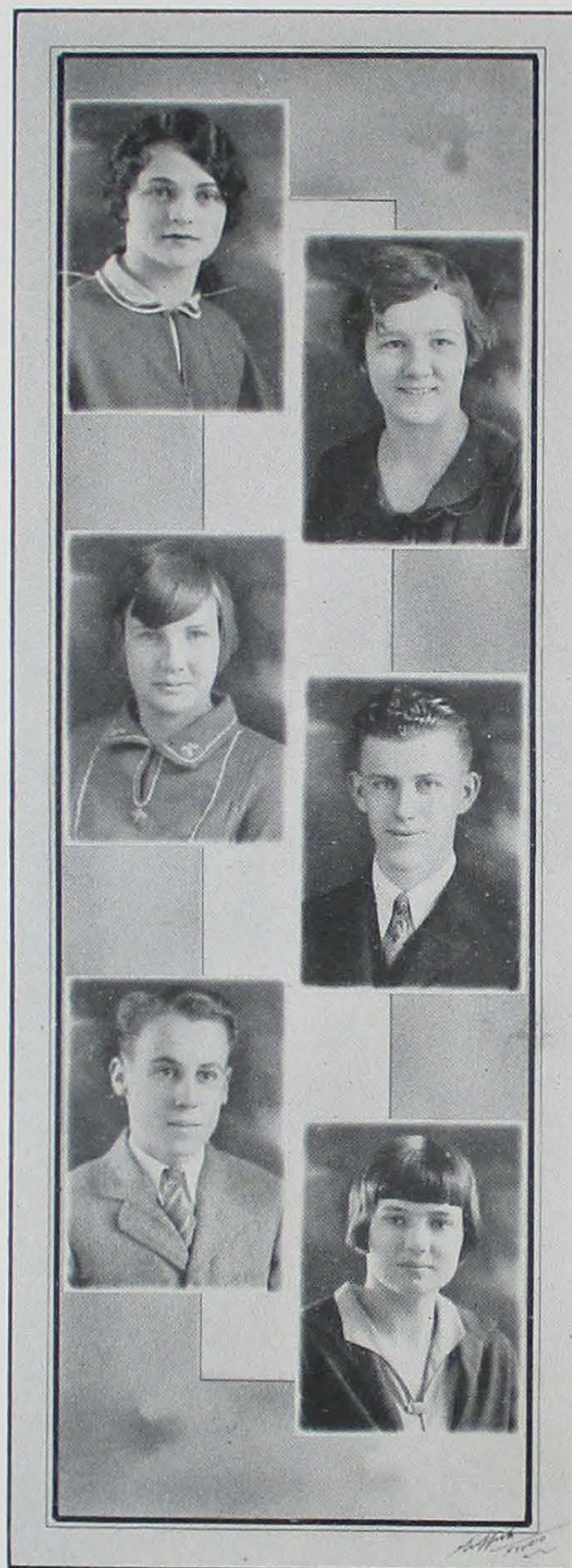
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HELEN HIBBS

"Hibby"

Home-loving, human, hustling, hopeful

Austin High School, Austin, Minnesota; Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Dramatics, '28, '29; May Fete, '28.





MARIAN HINER

Meditative, mediocre, hospitable, honest

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; G. A. A., '29; Declamatory, '27; Dramatics, '27; Girls' Baseball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29.

MARJORIE HOON

"Marge"

Mischievous, melodious, helpful, hearty

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '28; Girls' Glee Club, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; G. A. A., '28; Operetta, '28, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Operetta, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27, '28, '29.

MILDRED JACOBY

"Myd"

Marvelous, musical, jaunty, jovial

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '28, '29; Dramatics, '28; Bible Study, '29.

EPHRAM JENSEN

"Eph"

Easy, efficient, jolly judicious

Hi-Y, '27, '28; Orchestra, '27, '28; Track, '27, '28; Assistant Business Manager Junior Class Play, '28.

HILDA JENSEN

"Jenny"

Happy, healthy, jocose, just

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28; Girls' Tennis, '28, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Declamatory, '27, '28, '29; Dramatics, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27; Girls' Volleyball, '29; Bible Study, '27, '29.

LEO JORGENSEN

"Jorgy"

Limpid, lean, jocular, jaunty

Hi-Y, '27, '29; Hi-Y Cabinet, '29; Band, '27, '29; Orchestra, '27; Basketball, '29; Tennis, '29; Saxophone Quartette, '29; Senior Class Play, '29.

CLINTON KELLEY

"Ikie"

Canty, captivating, keen, kingly

"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27; Commercial Club, '29; Basketball, '26, '27, '28, '29; Football, '27, '28, '29; Track, '26, '27, '28, '29; Class Track, '27, '28, '29; Class Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Class Wrestling, '28.

ROSALIE KELSO

"Kelly"

Refined, responsible, kind, knowable

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '29; Voice Training Class, '28; Pep Club, '28, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '27, '28, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Art Club, '28; Junior Class Play, '28; Girls' Basketball, '27; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28; Girls' Baseball, '29; Bible Study, '29; Girl Reserve Emblem, '28.

FRANCES KELTNER

Friendly, fun, keen, kind-hearted

North Grant Consolidated High School, '26, '27; Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '29; Girls' Basketball, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Declamatory, '28; Dramatics, '29.

HAROLD KNIGHT

Healthy, handsome, knightly, kind

"A" Club, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28; Wrestling, '28, '29; Class Wrestling, '27, '28, '29; Captain of same, '29.

Harold Knight

MIRIAM KNUDSON

Majestic, matchless, known, knocker

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Glee Club, '28; Mixed Chorus, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Operetta, '28, '29.

EDGAR KOOSER

Easy-going, eccentric, knacky, kiddish

"A" Club, '28, '29; Band, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29; Football Trainer, '28, '29; Basketball Trainer, '29; Golf, '28.





KATHERINE KRATOSKA

Keen, keeps ahead, kind, knowable

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; Dramatics, '27.

MYRTLE LANDE

"Myrt"

Mild, merry, likeable, lithe

FERN LATHROP

Familiar, friendly, legislative, likely

Glidden High School; Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Tennis, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Dramatics, '28; Art Club, '28; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28, '29.

NORMAN LEVINE

Noble, notable, lively, loquacious

Mixed Chorus, '29; Boys' Glee Club, '28, '29; Band, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29; Tennis, '27; Class Wrestling, '27, '28; Operetta, '28; "Web" Staff, '28, '29; Honor Society, '29; Brass Quartette, '29; Senior Class Play, '29; Quill and Scroll, '29.

GLENNON LOYD

"Irish"

Generous, great, loyal, laudable

Boys' Glee Club, '28; Senior Senate, '29; Wrestling, '27, '28, '29; Class Wrestling, '27, '28, '29.

HARRY McGRIFF

"Heb"

Hardy, harmless, mischievous, mimic

"A" Club, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28; Football, '28, '29; Wrestling, '26, '27, '28, '29.

THEODORE McWHINNEY

"Ted"

Tolerant, trustworthy, mighty, mannerly
Hi-Y, '28, '29; Mixed Chorus, '28, '29; Boys' Glee Club, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; Wrestling, '28; Operetta, '28, '29.

CARRIE MADSEN

"Swede"

Credible, capable, magnetic, mild

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '27; Girls' Glee Club, '28; Mixed Chorus, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28; Girls' Tennis, '28; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Baseball, '27; G. A. A., '28, '29; G. A. A. Council, '28; Vice President of same, '28; Girl Reserve Emblem, '27; Dramatics, '27; Operetta, '28, '29; Girls' Trio, '29.

FERRIS MALCOLM

"Ferry"

Fascinating, fine, modern, magniloquent

"A" Club, '28, '29; Football, '27, '28, '29; Track, '28; Wrestling, '27, '28, '29; Declamatory, '29; Dramatics, '29; Student Council, '28; Judging Team, '28, '29.

FRANCES MATTOX

"Sally"

Faithful, fervent, merry, magnanimous

Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Voice Training Class, '28; Girls' Basketball, '28, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '28; G. A. A., '29; Dramatics, '28, '29; Art Club, '28; Debate, '28.

RUTH MICHAELSON

Rosy, remarkable, mannerly, memorable

Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Pep Club, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Dramatics, '29; Art Club, '28; G. A. A. Council, '29; Girl Reserve Athletic Emblem, '28.

HARRY MILLER

"Spud"

Historical, hardy, mild, man-like

Football, '28, '29.





HOWARD MILLER

"Buzz"

Happy, high, manly, meditative

Band, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29;
Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Football, '28, '29;
Wrestling, '27.

WINIFRED MORRIS

"Winnie"

Wonderful, witty, manageable, merry-maker

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Commercial Club,
'29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Dramatics, '27, '28;
Girls' Volleyball, '29.

TAIT NEEMAN

"Demon"

Tenacious, tender, nice, noble

Girl Reserves, '28, '29.

DOROTHY NELSON

"Dot"

Dazzling, dainty, notional, neat

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve
Cabinet, '28; Girls' Glee Club, '27, '28;
Mixed Chorus, '27, '29; Girls' Basketball,
'27, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Girls' Ten-
nis, '28; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28, '29;
Girls' Baseball, '27; G. A. A., '28, '29; De-
clamatory, '29; Operetta, '27, '28, '29; Se-
nior Class Play, '29.

FRANCES NICHOL

"Fran"

Funny, fine, natural, nice

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve
Cabinet, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Treas-
urer of same, '28; "Spirit" Staff, '29; Dra-
matics, '27, '28; Junior Class Play, '28;
Student Council, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29;
G. A. A. Council, '28; President of same,
'28; Girl Reserve Emblem, '27; Girls' Vol-
leyball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball,
'27, '28; Captain of same, '28; Girls' Base-
ball, '27.

FRANK OBERG

"Lefty"

Fair, frank, obliging, obedient

"A" Club, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28; Mixed Chorus,
'29; Boys' Glee Club, '29; President of
same, '29; Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Foot-
ball, '26, '27, '28, '29; Track, '28; Class
Wrestling, '27; Class Track, '28; Dra-
matics, '27; Operetta, '29; Vocational Typ-
ing, '29; Class Basketball Champion, '28,
'29; Bible Study, '29.

MILDRED OLSEN

"Milly"

Magnetic, majestic, officious, omniscient

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '28, '29; Band, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; Vice President of same, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Girls' Volley Ball, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27, '28; Girls' Baseball, '28.

Mildred E. Olsen

STERLING OLSEN

"Ole"

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Hi-Y, '28, '29; Band, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29; Saxophone Quartette, '29.

RICHARD PAULSON

"Dick"

Rapid, radical, passionate, particular

"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; President of same, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y Cabinet, '28, '29; Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Football, '27, '28, '29; Track, '27; Class Basketball, '27, '28, '29; Class Wrestling, '28, '29; Class Track, '27; Senior Class Clay, '29.

FRANKLIN PETTIT

"Chubby"

Fantastical, free, peerless, peaceful

"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; Treasurer of same; Mixed Chorus, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28; Basketball, '26, '27, '28, '29; Operetta, Football, '26, '27, '28, '29; Tennis, '27, '28, '29; Operetta, '27, '28; Student Council, '28; President of same, '28; President of Class, '28; Senior Senate, '29.

LLEWELLYN PICKETT

"Lee"

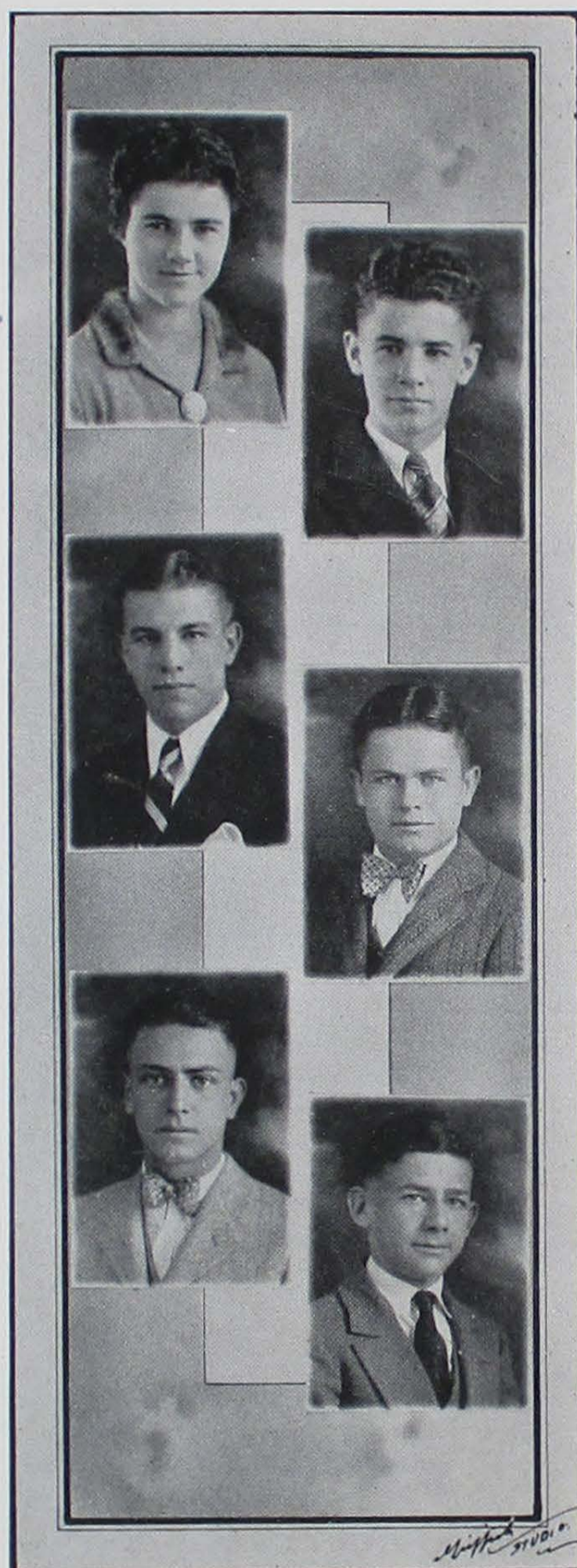
Likeable, lively, pacific, pardonable

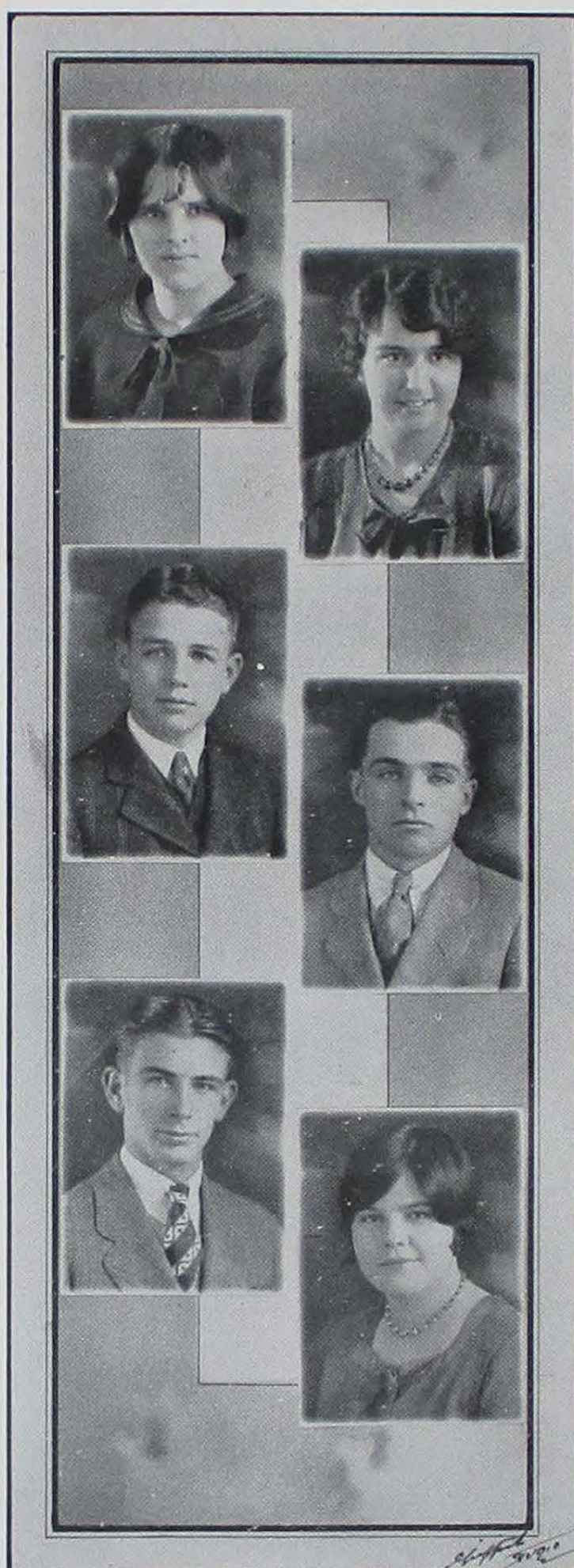
"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '28, '29; Football Trainer, '27; Class Track, '27; Wrestling, '27; Dramatics, '28; Debate, '28, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; Student Council, '29; Vice President of same, '29; Senior Senate, '29; Chairman School Affairs Committee, '28; Chairman Athletic and Publicity Committee, '29; National Forensic League, '28, '29.

VIRGIN REDDY

Variable, valuable, reliable, reasonable

Hi-Y, '28.





VELMA REDLINGER

Valiant, victorious, reliant, responsible

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Band, '27, '28, '29; Orchestra, '27, '28, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; "Web" Staff, '28, '29; National Honor Society, '28, '29; Quill & Scroll, '29.

MARY MARGARET REID

Mild, meek, refined, ready

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Glee Club, '27, '28, '29; Mixed Chorus, '28, '29; Operetta, '27, '28, '29; Senior Class Play, '29.

LYNN RICHARDSON

"Rich"

Lively, liberal, respectful, remarkable

"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; Historian of same, '28; Hi-Y, '27, '29; Mixed Chorus, '29; Basketball Trainer, '27, '29; Football Trainer, '27, '28; Dramatics, '27, '28.

Lee Riggs

LEE RIGGS

Laudable, laborious, reliable, reserved

North Grant High School, '26, '27; Hi-Y, '29; Orchestra, '28, '29; Bible Study, '29.

ELDEN ROBERSON

"Jack"

Efficient, exultant, real, representative

Hi-Y, '25, '26, '28, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; Senior Class Play, '29.

Jack Roberson

MAE SHEAHAN

Magisterial, meddlesome, sunny, searchable

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; Dramatics, '27, '28; May Fete, '28; Bible Study, '27, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29; Minor "A," '29; Major "A," '29; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28; Girl Reserve Emblem, '27.

THE SPIRIT

PEARL SHEAHAN

"Topsy"

Passive, patient, saintly, shrewd

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Dramatics, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Basketball, '27; G. A. A., '29; Bible Study, '27.

KATHRYN SIEMERS

"Katy"

Kindly, keen, sincere, silent

Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Orchestra, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; G. A. A., '28, '29.

MARJORIE SILL

"Marg"

Magical, mannerly, summerly, satisfied

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet '27; Girls' Glee Club, '27; Commercial Club, '29; Student Council, '29; Honor Society, '28, '29; Secretary of same, '29; Vice President of Class, '27; Senior Senate, '29; Senior Class Play, '29.

ELGIN SMITH

"Smithy"

Eager, earnest, sincere, seeing

Vocational Typing, '29; President of same, '28; Basketball, '28, '29; Class Basketball, '28; Junior Class Play, '28; National Honor Society, '29.

DOROTHY SMITH

"Dot"

Dainty, demure, superior, sincere

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Glee Club, '28; Mixed Chorus, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; "Spirit" Staff, '29; Operetta, '28, '29.

PHILIP STARBUCK

"Tillie"

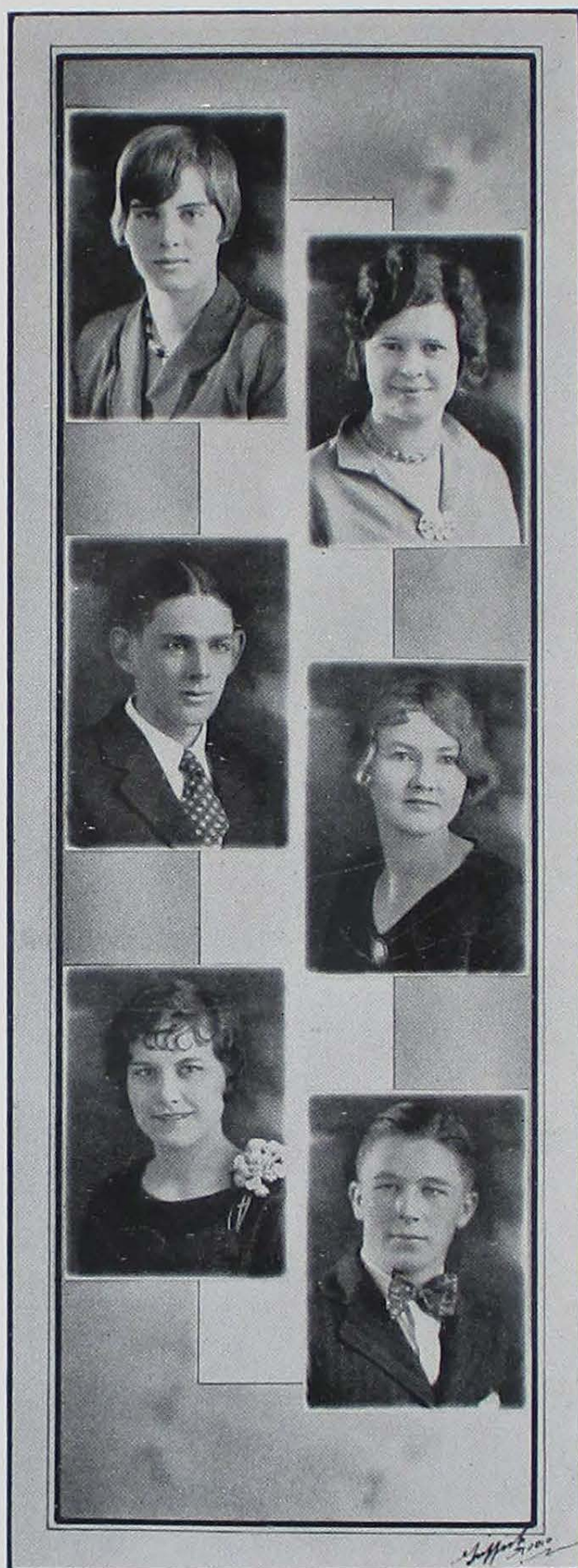
Placable, passable, sociable, smiling

Hi-Y, '27, '28; Basketball, '29; Track, '27; Dramatics, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; Student Treasurer, '28, '29; Dramatic Club Play, '29.



Kathryn Siemers

Philip Starbuck



ANAFRED STEPHENSON

"Steve"

Able, active, sagacious, salient

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girl Reserve Cabinet, '28, '29; President of Girl Reserves, '29; Mixed Chorus, '27, '29; Pep Club, '28, '29; President of same, '28; "Spirit" Staff, '28, '29; Editor of same, '29; Basketball, '27; Girls' Volleyball, '27, '28; G. A. A., '28, '29; Operetta, '27, '28, '29; Honor Society, '28, '29; Vice President of same, '29; Quill and Scroll, '28, '29; Representative Student, '27; Senior Class Play, '29.

GERTRUDE STOLE

"Gert"

Game, gay, spectacular, sufficient

Girl Reserves, '29.

DALE SWEIGARD

Dauntless, decent, smooth, self-controlled
Boys' Glee Club, '28, '29; Basketball, '28.

INA SWENSON

Immaculate, impressive, sociable, superior
Girl Reserves, '28, '29.

ELVA TREON

"Lena"

Elated, ethereal, talkative, tactful

Girl Reserves, '29; Band, '29; Orchestra, '29; Basketball, '29; Debate, '29; Senior Class Play, '29.

BYRON TRIPP

"Shake"

Brave, bluffer, trig, tireless

Hi-Y, '27; Commercial Club, '29; Football, '27; Dramatics, '28, '29; Junior Class Play, '28; Senior Class Play, '29.

EDNA HAIGLER

Effluent, effusive, hardy, happy

Girl Reserves, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Glee Club, '27, '28; Mixed Chorus, '29; Pep Club, '29; Commercial Club, '29; G. A. A., '28; Operetta, '27, '28, '29; Girls' Volleyball, '28.

RAY TRUEDELL

"Tiny"

Radiant, rare, tenacious, true

"A" Club, '27, '28, '29; Hi-Y, '27, '28, '29; Football, '26, '27, '28, '29; Track, '27, '28, '29; Wrestling, '26, '27, '28, '29; Student Council, '28; Assembly Board, '28; Class Wrestling, '27, '28, '29; Class Track, '27, '28, '29; Stage Manager of Senior Class Play, '29.

RAY VANDERLINDEN

Rhythmical, rident, valid, valiant

Hi-Y, '27, '28; Mixed Chorus, '29; Boys' Glee Club, '28; Orchestra, '28, '29; Football, '29; Operetta, '28, '29.

MILDRED WHELOCK

"Millie"

Merry, mathematical, witty, warbling

Girl Reserves, '28, '29; Commercial Club, '29; Treasurer of same, '29; Honor Society, '29.

PAUL YOUNIE

"Babe"

Persistent, peppy, youthful, yielding

Hi-Y, '29; Commercial Club, '29; President of same, '29.

PICTURES NOT AVAILABLE

CHARLES KINDERMAN
KEITH KNUTHS
FRANK McLAUGHLIN
HAROLD OLSAN



HIGH SCHOOL SEAL

Among the projects that the Class of 1929 have accomplished for their High School is a seal, symbolic of the different phases of High School life.

It is their wish that this seal should become traditional and ever link together the arts, the friendships, the search for knowledge, and the athletics into one thought: our school.

The Seal is the one you see on the cover of the 1929 "Spirit." If you have been around the High School pupils this spring, you no doubt have noticed the emblem stickers on many of their books. Also, the Junior rings bear this insignia.

It is to Virgin Reddy, a member of our class, that all credit is due for instigating this seal. He carefully designed it and as zealously wrote the story explaining it. It is therefore an honor to our class that one of its members will be forever known as the founder of the Ames High Seal.

ANAFRED STEPHENSON, '29.



SENIOR CLASS HISTORY

Three years ago in the fall of nineteen hundred and twenty-six, a troop of Sophomores from Central and Welch came to the Senior High School to start investigating the procedure of beginning a successful high school career.

During the previous year, Principal Davis had often lamented the lack of intelligence in Ames High School, but during the first six weeks in the fall of twenty-six he began to have faith, and before the end of the year our Sophomore Class, under the guidance of Miss Gove and Mrs. Beanblossom, was thoroughly convinced that we were the class of his fairest dreams.

When we came back to school the next year, we were upper classmen, and set the example for the new Sophomore Class. When asked, we very readily gave up the date of our play to the Seniors so that they might preside at the Field House Opening. We gave our Class play "Seventeen" in May, making a profit of three hundred and fifty-two dollars and seventy-three cents. We were glad to discover that no previous Junior Class had ever done so well. With this money we gave the Seniors a banquet, and had one hundred twenty-five dollars to start our last year in A. H. S. We had a splendid Junior year with Miss Seaman as our Sponsor.

We came back in the fall of twenty-eight, feeling sorry that we had only one more year. Mrs. Anderson, our sponsor, helped us organize a Senior Senate, which has proved helpful. One of the things we did was to buy a covering for the Field House floor. The Senior Play this year, is "The Thirteenth Chair." It is a mystery, a type of play that has not often been given in our high school.

We were grieved over the loss of our friend and class mate, Sterling Olsen, and felt it as a dark moment in our last semester of the year.

As a class we have taken part in athletics, dramatics, and music, showing our loyalty and winning honors for Old Ames High. Although we are graduating, the occupants of the building may expect numerous visits from this class in years to come.

BERTHA HALL, '29.

CLASS WILL

Know all men by these presents, that we, the Senior Class of Ames High School, City of Ames, Story County, State of Iowa, being, according to the judgment of the teachers, of reasonably sound mind, but according to the most eminent physicians, unable to spend another year, or even a semester in such environment, do make and publish this last Will and Testament.

We believe it our solemn duty to leave some of our most valuable possessions; namely, Wealth of Knowledge, Gems of Wisdom, and Pearls of Virtue to those not yet eligible to escape A. H. S.

SECTION I

We bequeath to the underclassmen, our faith in "We Can, if I Will."

Thirty-nine





SECTION II

To the Junior Class, we bequeath our love of supervised study.

SECTION III

The Sophomore Class is to receive our wishes for success in arriving at our level some day.

SECTION IV

Alice Agg leaves Lefty's ghost to haunt the halls.

To Mary Jane Williams, Merrill Alexander leaves his fearlessness of work.

Kenneth Allen and Frank Pettit leave their car in the mud.

Marvin Alm leaves Miss Seaman's class with a sigh of relief.

Doris Goodwin leaves her monopoly of Knapp Street corners to Eugene Levine.

Margaret Andrew and Mildred Wheelock leave their friendship to Wilma Fuchs and Donald McCulloch.

Dale Arnold leaves his tardy excuses to Doris Foster.

Leone Baker and Ruth Carr leave an unexplained vacancy.

Lowell Ball leaves his A's to Marvin West.

Albert Batman leaves his spectacles for Miss Kinnier.

Margaret Berg leaves her recipe for blonde hair to Norma Griffith.

Marjorie Sill and Pauline Bills leave the good-will of Mrs. Young to Ruth Feroe and Ruth Hawley.

Farwell Brown leaves his vampish ways to Max Hedrick.

Ransom Brown leaves his milk route to Walter Adams.

Dorothy Burnett leaves her innocence to Beatrice Moore.

Doyle Buttolph and Elva Treon leave with a smile.

Gerald Byers and Dorothy Nelson leave hall space to Eva Dixon and Paul Cameron.

Helen Hibbs and Phyllis Campbell leave their compacts to Tom Woodruff and Dean Gilchrist.

Paul Coe leaves the road to Boone by itself.

Marjorie Cunningham leaves her debating ability to her brother.

LeRoy Daubert leaves Ruth Feroe to the mercy of Harvey Engeldinger.

Bob Davis and Norman Harvey leave Mr. Harms in the Physics laboratory.

Zinnabelle Dixon and Signe Esval leave noon car rides to Fern Roberson and Ella May Tweet.

Frances Nichol and Marjorie Dunlap leave their addresses to Forest Sorenson and Mac Woods.

Loya Durrell and Avis Edwinson leave Mrs. Anderson's service with a backward glance.

William Evans wills his science books to the waste paper basket in Mr. Harms' room.

Florence Farber leaves her modest manner to her sister Martha.

Wayne Flickinger leaves his happy smile to Bessie Spratt.

Dorothy Gehringer leaves her curls in the beauty parlor.

Edna Haigler wills her history A's to Preston Reed.

Louis Havens wills the difficulties that accompany his position to next year's class president.



Marian Hiner's giggle is left to James McCurdy.
 Marjorie Hoon and Carrie Madsen leave their ability to "date" college men to Jerine Kraft and Neta Berry.
 Mildred Jacoby leaves the cinder path for campus sidewalks.
 Hilda Jensen wills her share in Iowa mud roads to Lillie Arrasmith.
 Ephram Jensen leaves his monopoly on the back seat in the bus to Doris Dean Draper.
 Leo Jorgenson leaves his "dragging" walk to Frank Botts.
 Clinton Kelley leaves Ames Hi to all other ambitious students.
 Rosalie Kelso takes Charles Kinderman with her.
 Harold Knight leaves, but expects to visit Fern Bennett quite often.
 Miriam Knudson and Dorothy Smith leave long hair recipes to Frances Edwards and Betty Prall.
 Keith Knuths wills his taxi business to Elbert Starbuck.
 Edgar Kooser and Harry McGriff leave with a broad grin.
 Katherine Kratoska leaves a worn-out typewriter.
 Myrtle Lande leaves many friends in Ames Hi.
 Fern Lathrop and Winifred Morris leave vacancies at the bus station.
 Norman Levine wills his long line of ancestors for recording.
 Glennon Loyd wills his Harold Lloyd connections to Joe Scoltock.
 Frank McLaughlin leaves his boisterous ways to his sister.
 Ted McWhinney wills the part in his hair to Joe Fogel.
 Ferris Malcolm leaves his oratorical abilities to Alice Wortman.
 Frances Mattox wills her trustworthy suitcase to Mary Scott.
 Pearl Sheahan and Ruth Michaelson will their vampish ways to Dorothy Huey and Bernice Peterson.
 Harry Miller and Howard Miller part as friends, not brothers.
 Frank Oberg leaves more familiarly known as "Lefty."
 Harold Olsan wills hot house flowers to anyone who may die in 1929.
 Mildred Olsen does not leave any stone unturned in her search for knowledge.
 Dick Paulson leaves his list of "training rules" to Kenneth Ruggles.
 Virgin Reddy leaves before attaining the height of five feet.
 Velma Redlinger wills her place in the band to Margaret Evvard.
 To all the Seniors-to-be, Mary Reid wills her "pull" with the teachers.
 Mae Sheahan wills her geniality to Miss Coder.
 Lynn Richardson wills the back issues of *Popular Magazine* to Jane Dunlap.
 Lee Riggs leaves parking space for another car.
 Elden Roberson leaves his cousin as a reminder of himself.
 Katheryn Siemers leaves her high-heeled shoes to Norma Cowdry.
 Paul Younie wills his typing ability to Leonard Burrell.
 Ray Vanderlinden wills his early morning access to study rooms to Raymond Slater.
 Ray Truesdell leaves his nickname for Baker.
 Phillip Starbuck leaves his ability for portraying heavy dramatic roles to Keith Cooper.
 Anafred Stephenson leaves school to care for her baby brother.
 Gertrude Stole wills her typing practice paper to Bob Cunningham.

Dale Sweigard leaves High School for better or for worse.
Byron Tripp wills his kiddish ways to Bob Hawley.
Ina Swenson leaves with high honors.
Tait Neeman wills her training in tearoom work to Neva Carey.
Frances Keltner leaves her helping hands to Lois Atchley.
I, Bertha Hall, will my willingness to write the class will to some next year's Senior.

To the trustees we leave some props for the main building on windy nights.
To the faculty we leave a hint: "Eavesdroppers never hear good of themselves."

To our Alma Mater we bequeath another Senior Class like this one.

SECTION V

We do hereby appoint our friend and adviser, Minerva, as executor of this, our last Will and Testament.

In witness whereof, we do set our hand and seal, this beautiful "thawing out" day, the twentieth of February, in the year of our Lord, nineteen hundred and twenty-nine.

Signed: CLASS OF '29.
BERTHA HALL, '29.

I. B. DEAD,
Notary Public.

WHAT THE FATES FORETELL

The Captain, Lynn Richardson, waved his hat to the onlooking crowd, and the huge zeppelin soared into the air. The passengers on board were the class that graduated from Ames Hi in 1929. Now they were all off for a trip back to the old City of Ames.

A particular group of young ladies are the center of attraction as usual. Rosalie Kelso in her mature age has started to give dancing lessons to matrons. In her class we find Myldred Jacoby, Florence Farber, Dorothy Gehringer, and Elva Treon. The men entertaining this group may also be of interest. Doyle Buttolph is now a master scientist, Dick Paulson a well known "gigalo," Phillip Starbuck a rising young farmer, Elden Roberson a newspaper editor, and Ray Vanderlinden, inventor of the famous "Van" automobile.

In the parlor, Gertrude Stole is at the piano playing an accompaniment to the famous all-American quartet. The quartet comprises William Evans, Clinton Kelly, Albert Batman, and Farwell Brown.

Ruth Carr, a now famous physical educator, has formed a class from among the passengers.

Marjorie Cunningham
Edna Haigler
Mildred Olsen
Hilda Jensen
Leone Baker

Paris Gown Designer
Grand Opera
Glue Manufacturer
Cabaret Entertainer
Housewife

THE SPIRIT

Kathryn Siemers
Katherine Kratoska
Tait Neeman
Mildred Wheelock
Lolya Durrell
Zinnabelle Dixson

Novelist
Typist
Hotel Proprietress
Osteopath
Undertaker
Firewoman

Dinner is now announced by Chief Steward, Bob Davis, and is served by Miriam Knudson, Dorothy Burnett, and Margaret Berg. We soon discover that this excellent meal was prepared by Frank Oberg and his apt assistant Alice Agg.

Soon after dinner the "Pettit Players" gave a very entertaining play. Among his company we find Dorothy Smith, Velma Redlinger, Myrtle Lande, Ruth Michaelson, Pauline Bills, Ray Truesdell, Howard Miller, Virgin Reddy, and Glennon Loyd.

It might be well to look into another part of the ship. Pilots Harold Knight and Merrill Alexander exchange shifts. Gerald Byers, the head engineer, is accompanied by his wife the former Marjorie Dunlap. He is assisted by Keith Knuths. Marvin Alm is first mate, and Lowell Ball is second mate. The Stewardess, Mary Reid, is accompanied by Norman Harvey whom she is forced to support. The Chamber maids, Doris Goodwin, Marjorie Sill, and Dorothy Nelson are entertaining their fiancés, namely, Lee Riggs, Frank McLaughlin, and Harry Miller.

When we go back to the more aristocratic company we discover that the play is finished, and Frances Nichol's Orchestra is playing lullabies. The members of her orchestra include Dale Arnold, Paul Coe, Ransom Brown, LeRoy Daubert, Elgin Smith, and Paul Younie.

In the midst of the orchestration a shrill scream pierces the air. The U. S. president, Frances Mattox, is having an attack of appendicitis. She is immediately rushed to the operating room, where ship's Doctor, Harry McGriff, and the nurses, Pearl Sheahan and Fern Lathrop, are employed. Frances' condition becomes so critical that they are forced to call in the far-famed M.D.'s on board, Theodore McWhinney and Dale Sweigard.

We almost forgot to notice that Louis Havens, the most successful of modern artists, is on board. He is accompanied by his favorite models. They are Phyllis Campbell, Avis Edwinton, and Ina Swenson. A similar group are Norman Levine and part of his harem. The women are Helen Hibbs, Winifred Morris, and Signe Esval.

The "Bellhop," Edgar Kooser is loudly calling for Marjorie Hoon who is the head of Foreign Babie's Welfare Association.

In the secluded corner of the library we find several families writing letters. Margaret Andrew is now Mrs. Kenneth Allen. Kenneth is in the poultry business. An Iowa senator, Ephram Jenson, married Miss Carrie Madsen. The former Frances Keltner, is proud of her husband who is the only living possessor of the secret of Einstein's Theory.

The Captain tells us that we have arrived at the Flying Field. We are transported to the High School by Anafred Stephenson's "Taxi Service."

We are quite surprised to find a spacious building occupying the site of

the old institution. We learn that it was designed by Leo Jorgenson, and built by Charles Kinderman.

Going into the rooms used as offices we find Marian Hiner as "Office Girl." We wander on through the hall and find no trace of Minerva, and learn that she is being refinished by the sculptor, Bertha Hall. Elevator service has been installed, and they are operated by Harold Olsan and Ferris Malcolm.

When the tour of inspection is finished, the old friends are sorry to part company. They have to leave finally, and each one expresses his sincere wish to meet his Zeppelin companions again, in the near future.

CLASS OF 'TWENTY-NINE

To all we bid a fond good-bye,
We're sorry we must leave you;
Often times we can but sigh,
And we will not deceive you.
To leave the days we've spent with you,
May cause us now to pine;
For our Alma Mater is so dear
To this Class of 'Twenty-nine.

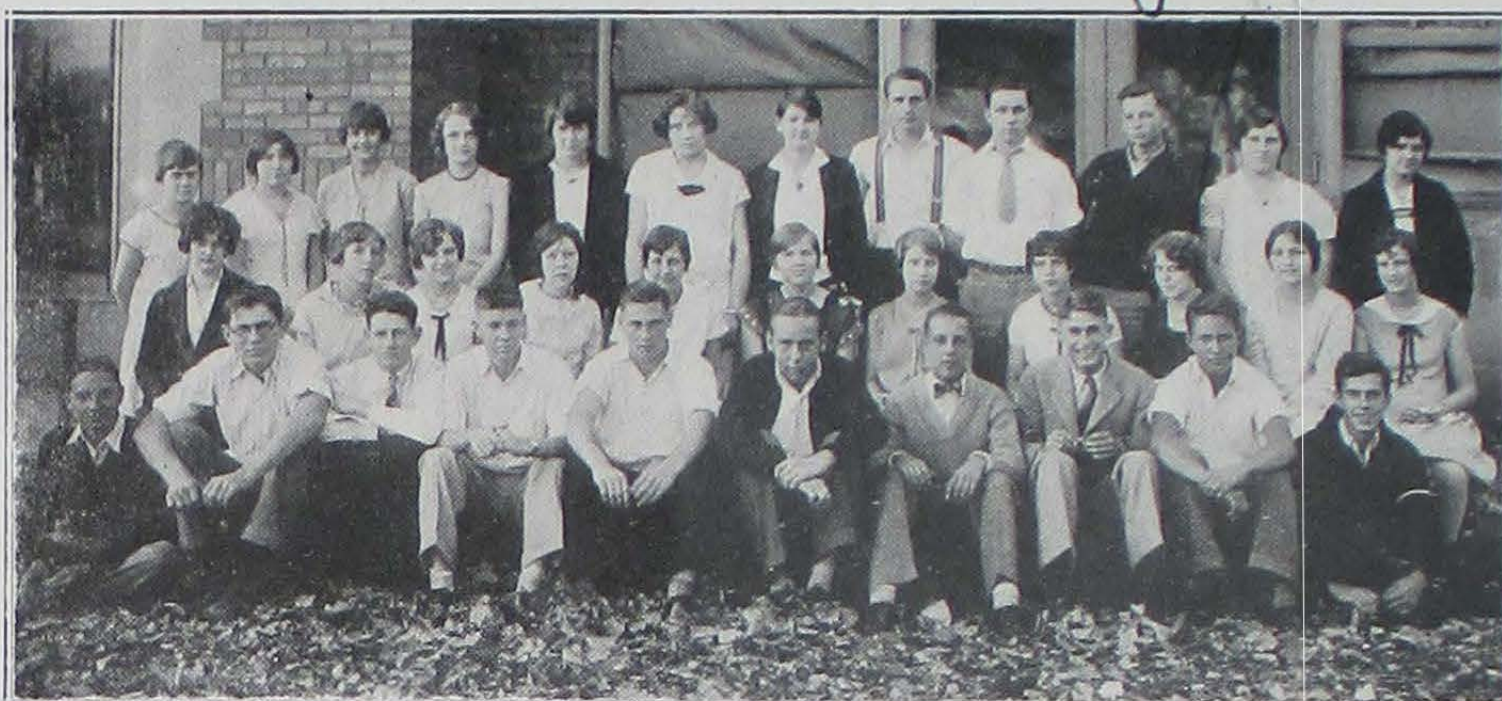
To you we've given our very best,
We've tried so hard to please;
And now we all must face the test,
Our future it decrees.
The path that we are meant to tread
Will follow all in line,
For the things you've done, point on ahead
To the Class of 'Twenty-nine.

We have not always been so gay
At the tasks, you set before us;
But when they're finished in grand array
Forth comes a happy chorus.
So in the future that is to be
No matter what we find,
Thanks to you are given by, we
The Class of 'Twenty-nine.



JUNIORS

THE SPIRIT



Top row: Ruth Allen, Dorothy Arrasmith, Maxine Allan, Alice Carey, Ruth Cole, Ferdel Carey, Lois Atchley, Alvin Countryman, Kenneth Anderson, Edward Brindley, Lillie Arrasmith, Fern Bennett.
Middle row: Carol Carpenter, Mary Collins, Evelyn Covault, Marian Atkinson, Ione Alleman, Bernice Barber, Ruth Bogard, Laura Christenson, Neta Berry, Mary Baldwin, Eleanor Apple.
Lower row: Glenn Bappe, Joe Buchanan, Harold Andrews, Walter Adams, Clifford Anderson, Kenneth Coon, George Baker, Charles Brown, Leonard Burrell, Keith Cooper.



Top row: Ruth Feroe, Stella Heggem, Lucille Dearing, Nada Graham, Irma Hall, Doris Fish, Marguerite Erickson, Doris Foster, Opal Dobson, Evalyn Erwin, Perle Dobson, Herman Erickson, Ruby Hamm, Anna Marie Gernes, Ruth Hawley, Harvey Engeldinger, Charles Fish.
Middle row: Dorothy Freed, Jeannette Friedrich, Doris Draper, Alpha Hartman, Melba Hearn, Alice Cupps, Edith Davis, Frances Eller, Mila Gardner, Eva Dixon, Norma Cowdry.
Lower row: Earl Freel, Walter Downs, Loren Forman, Tom Delamore, Robert Hawley, Dias DeVore, Donald Eberhart, John Coykendall, Robert Cunningham, Billy Dailey.

THE SPIRIT

F. Mettler '30



Top row: Mildred McMorrow, Mildred Howard, Beatrice Moore, Clare Knuths, Harry Miller, Laura Matson, William McLaughlin, Tom McDonald, Glen Johnson, Charles Murray, Sarah Melhus, Velma Newell, Esther Hilgendorf.
 Middle row: Edith Pleshek, Barry McMillan, Paullina McLaughlin, Mildred Heuerman, Jerine Kraft, Genevieve Lathrop, Regina Kildee, Mildred Holdredge, Edna Kingsbury, Kathryn Nagel, Margaret Larson.
 Lower row: Virgil Matlack, Baldwin Muceus, James McCurdy, Franklin Mettler, Daniel Hughes, Ernest Mosness, Clarence Pratt, Burton Mosness, Allen McCurdy, Bernard Hills.



Top row: Viola Smith, Irma Rue Reid, Mary Jane Williams, Fern Swanson, Phyllis Watson, Audrey Taylor, Walter Trow, Tom Tarman, Glen Roberson, Russell Schulz.
 Middle row: Ella May Tweet, Gladys Redlinger, Mary Jay Scott, Louise Sexton, Fern Roberson, Bernice Rutherford, Phyllis Snyder, Mary Proctor, Carmen Rushia, Joseph Schneider, Homer Thomas.
 Lower row: Mike Stuhlsatz, Kenneth Ruggles, McNeil Woods, Joe Scoltock, Francis Taylor, Harold Tammen, Preston Reed, Forest Sorenson.

JUNIOR CLASS HISTORY

"Ho! hum!" sighed the old hall clock on first floor, "Another Junior Class is successfully past the obstacles and difficulties in securing an education. I don't know what they would do if I were not here to remember them. I don't know a great deal about them, but from remarks that I have overheard, their sophomore year was quite uneventful. No doubt, however, they had a good time getting acquainted with the duties of High School life, and making new acquaintances.

The year just past has been an eventful one for them. On September 4, 1928, they came to register and to get their locker assignments, and it was then that I discovered they were on the same floor that I was. I knew this was going to prove a very interesting and successful year for they seemed exceedingly full of pep. On September 10th, they came, looking very intelligent and laden with books. After some weeks without a leader, they decided that they needed one; also someone to assist him, someone to take notes and to take care of the money they were soon to obtain. Bob Hawley was chosen as their able president, Mary Scott as his assistant, Evelyn Covault to take notes, and Walter Adams to care for their money. Mrs. Beanblossom became their worthy adviser.

The third six weeks, murmurs were going through the hall about the Junior Class Play. On Dec. 13 the play "Come Out of the Kitchen," directed by Miss Marjorie Lynch, was given at the field house. Of course, I missed out on it, but don't you worry, it didn't take long for me to find out that it had been a great success. The next morning it was rumored through the hall that vacation was going to start a week early on account of "Flu." Sure enough it was announced that the students wouldn't need to come back for two whole weeks. Surprises will happen, but one quite as pleasant as this was not common in A. H. S. Of course the joy had to be lessened a little by the announcement that there would be no Spring Vacation.

At last there was a slight rest. It seemed short, but it did everyone good for they all came back looking refreshed and with all their original pep renewed. From the looks of things Santa Claus had been very good to everyone.

Again the usual routine was resumed. And again the excitement quieted down. There was a break in the monotony which was caused by operetta "Pickles" in which four of the Juniors had leading parts. On May 27 a farewell banquet was given by the Juniors to their dear friends, the Seniors who were leaving A. H. S. in a very short time.

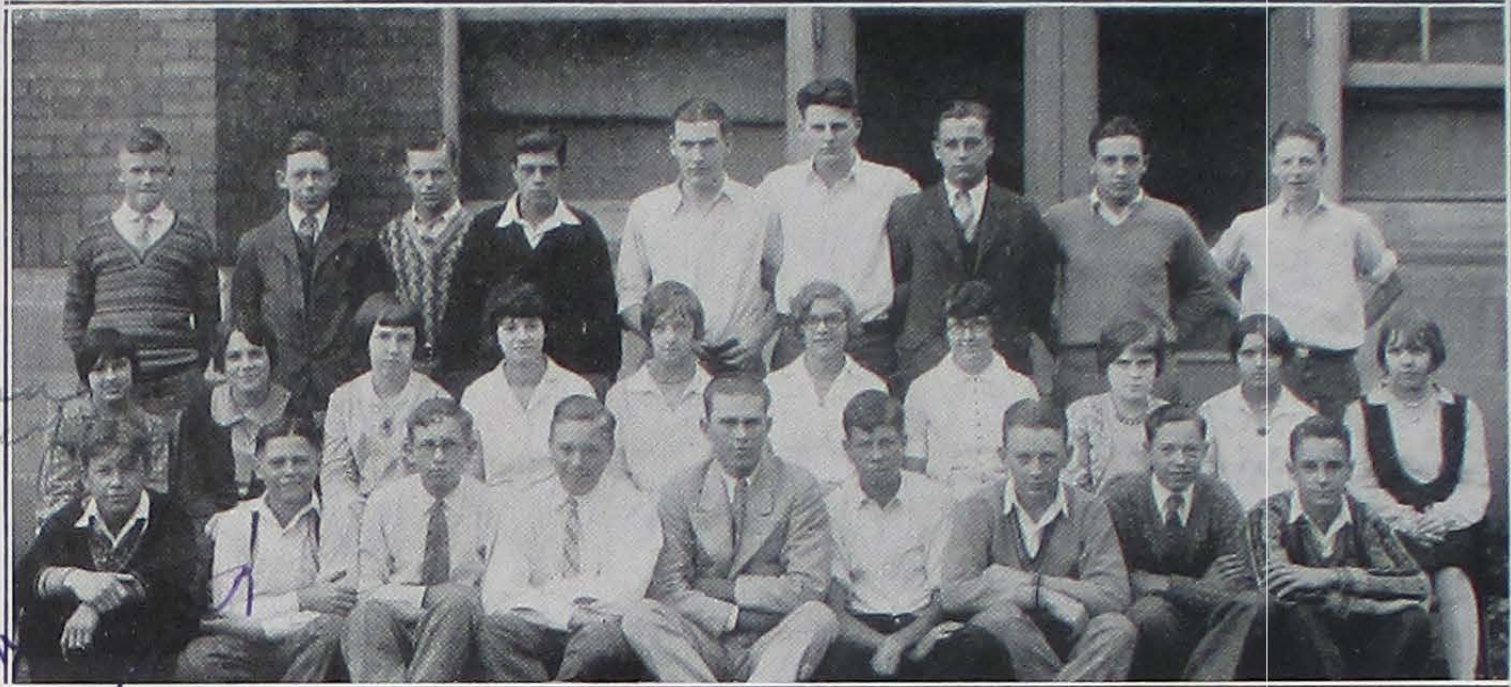
Well, at last duties were over and now my friends, the Juniors, will be with me no more, but I do hope to see all of them next year as successful, dignified Seniors. Now for a long rest!"

RUTH FEROE, '30.



SOPHUS

THE SPIRIT



Top row: Donald Byers, George Allen, Craig Carter, James Dickeson, Merle Ball, Woodrow Beard, William Ash, Bruce Anderson, Clarence Behnke.
 Middle row: Neva Carey, Mildred Bennett, Ruth Arrasmith, Kathrine Davis, Mary Burton, Harriett Alexander, Marjorie Countryman, Delilah Bartow, Ula Bower, Madeline Bills.
 Lower row: Virgil Bappe, Robert Dawson, Herbert Bates, William Baggs, Robert Blumenschein, Vern Carr, Homer Batman, Frank Botts, Ralph Baker.



Top row: Lester Ersland, Joe Fogel, Harry Gottfried, William Holmes, Russell Gearhart, Vernon Erickson, Robert Gilchrist, Katherine Griffith, Wilma Fuchs, Pamela Diemer.
 Middle row: Audrey Hallquist, Gail Foster, Frances Edwards, Martha Farber, Helen Dutich, Norma Griffith, Dorothy Goosman, Mae Fisher, Jane Dunlap, Margaret Evvard.
 Lower row: Max Hedrick, Paul Doggett, Walter Draper, Dean Gilchrist, David Gottfried, Eugene Hicks, Floyd Hubbard, Ernest Erickson, Edward Gray.



THE SPIRIT



Top row: Betty Lou Prall, Carita Knuths, Olive Masters, Mildred Kennedy, Bernice Peterson, Opal Masters, Gladys McLean, Bessie Jo Langford.
 Middle row: Elena Johnston, Millie Martin, Dorothy Huey, Helen Madden, Florence McNabb, Alice Hughes, Virginia Knudson, Eustace Morrissey, Drusilla McLaughlin, Isabelle Palmer, Margaret Larsen.
 Lower row: Bernice Kooser, Vernon Loyd, Donald McCulloch, Francis Mullica, Harold Maxwell, Frank Nunamaker, George Pickett, Eugene Levine, Glen Randau.



Top row: Bessie Spratt, Irene Wilbur, Mildred Stahlman, Calvin Weaver, Raymond Slater, Clarence Stahlman, James Shaw, Robert Sweigard, Maxine Smith, Thelma Skortman, Jane Stevens.
 Middle row: Pauline Watson, Delilah Tice, Allene Streight, June Rehnblom, Beatrice Vanscoy, Laura Sayre, Maxine Waitley, Margaret Woods, Lucetta Underwood, Alice Wortman, Vera Thomsen.
 Lower row: Luther Siemers, Elbert Starbuck, Marvin West, Earl Trow, Harold Sill, Rex Truesdell, Walter Speck, Kenneth Thompson, Gordon Thompson, Craig Stephenson.



SOPHOMORE HISTORY

"Good evening, ladies and gentlemen, this is station S-O-P-H, announcing and broadcasting from Senior High, Ames, Iowa. The first part of the program will be given by Robert Norris, who will speak on 'Sophomores in Sports.' "

"Good evening, radio audience. I will give 'Sophomore in Sports' from the yell leader's position. Their first appearance was in football, where Clarence Stahlman played an important role. 'Stahly' and Woodrow Beard earned their letters. In basketball, Clarence again made a name for himself. mores did their share. James Dickeson also played and helped win the sectional tournament at Boone."

"You have just heard Robert Norris on 'Sophomores in Sports.' You will now hear 'Sophomores in Debating and Declamatory,' by Dorothy Goosman."

"Good evening, folks. Sophomores have entered into Declamatory and Debating. Of a number of Sophomore girls who entered the contests, Elena Johnston won second place in Declamatory. In debating, Delilah Bartow has been on the team all year."

"Eugene Levine will review the part of the Sophomores in the operetta, 'Pickles,' and the contest."

"Good evening. Three Sophomores were in the cast of the operetta—William Holmes and Raymond Slater as Bumpski and Rumpski, and Robert Blumenschein as Arthur Crefont. A number of the girls were in the Carnival Scene. Alice Hughes was in the Girls' trio which represented Ames in the contest. Paul Doggett sang tenor in Boys quartette."

"Mary Burton will relate social activities of the Sophomore homerooms."

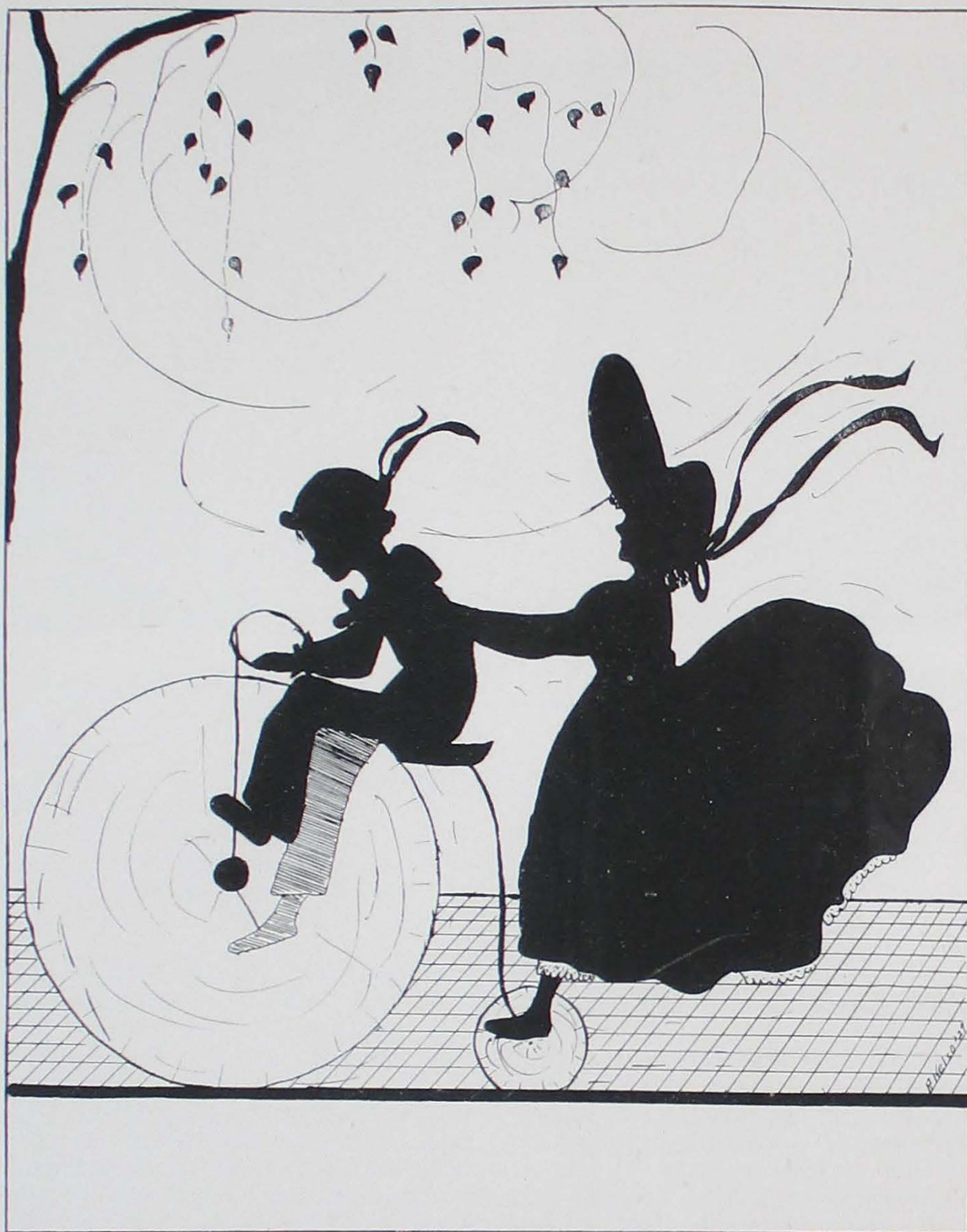
"Hello, everybody. In December Mr. Swanson's and Miss Tingley's homerooms enjoyed a bobsled party, and on March 8 Mr. Swanson's homeroom entertained Miss Tingley's homeroom at a party."

"This concludes the review of previous events. The calendar for next week includes a sermon on Sunday by Rev. William Ash. Vernon Loyd will act in capacity of organist. Monday, Mae Fisher will deliver the first of a series of lectures on the art of cake making. 'Sally' Wortman and her Merry Makers will entertain their radio audience Wednesday. Thursday, Neva Carey will discuss 'Abolishing Talking in the Halls.' "

"This completes the program for this evening. This is station S-O-P-H signing off at exactly thirty-one days after May first."

LAURA SAYRE, '31.





ACTIVITIES



Top row: C. Stephenson, Weaver, Pickett, Coe, Daubert, Hughes.
 Middle row: M. Fisher, Miss Coder, Miss Seaman, Miss Hartsook, Mrs. Anderson, Miss Canvin, Fish, Feroe.
 Lower row: Sill, Wortman, Bills, Mr. Vanderlinden, Gardner, Scott, V. Knudson.

STUDENT COUNCIL

	First Semester	Second Semester
President . . .	LeRoy Daubert	LeRoy Daubert
Vice President . .	Daniel Hughes	Llewellyn Pickett
Secretary	Ruth Feroe	Majorie Sill

The Student Council is one of the most important organizations in Ames High School, for through this organization the students secure coöperation with the teachers and are able to work out the government of the school.

This year several new projects were worked out. The first one of importance was the "Honor System." Due to the fact that this was a new project it was difficult, at first, to secure the desired coöperation of the student body. This system continued throughout the year, however, and improved steadily. During the first semester the sale of activity tickets was carried on similar to the previous year. The second semester, however, a new plan was adopted which required each student to pay a dollar and in return to receive a ticket each week for the activities during that week. This eliminated activity stamps, thus saving a great deal of trouble.

This organization was composed of the Home Room Presidents. Regular meetings were held twice a month unless otherwise specified.

RUTH FEROE, '30.



Top row: Malcolm, Cooper, Sorenson, Hawley, Daubert, Murray, Woodruff.
 Middle row: O'Neil, C. Anderson, Paulson, Flickinger, Byers, Allen, Knight.
 Lower row: Havens, Stahlman, Adams, Kelley, Mr. Roberts, Ruggles, McCurdy.

THE "A" CLUB

President	Richard Paulson
Vice President	Clinton Kelley
Secretary-Treasurer	Franklin Pettit

In the fall of '23 Mr. Wygant organized the "A" Club. Its aim was to consolidate more closely persons who had won honors in outside activities.

The first year, they decided to bring in members by invitation. If the invitation was accepted the student would be initiated.

Through Coach Campbell's suggestion, the "A" Club decided to sponsor grade school Basketball and Wrestling. Each "A" Club member was to coach a grade school team. A tournament was to be held and the "A" Club was to award pennants to the grade winners and watch fobs to the individuals receiving high scores. The winning school also received a pennant.

Every year before graduation, senior members are presented with certificates of recognition, and new officers are installed.

It is an honor to be in this club as it shows work, responsibility, and improvement in some line of activity.

RICHARD PAULSON, '29.





Top row: Gehringer, Malcolm, Atchley.
Lower row: Johnson, Jensen, Mrs. Gaunt, Snyder.

DECLAMATORY

This year three of the Declamatory contests were at Ames. The first two were preliminary or elimination contests. The Oratorical and Humorous divisions made up one evening's program. A week later the Dramatic section had its contest.

In the third contest, first and second places were chosen from each class. The seconds represented Ames in the county contests, and the firsts represented Ames in the state contests. Those winning places were as follows:

ORATORICAL

Ferris Malcolm	First
Hilda Jensen	Second

DRAMATIC

Dorothy Gehringer	First
Elena Johnston	Second

HUMOROUS

Lois Atchley	First
Phyllis Snyder	Second

With the coöperation of the students of Ames High School we can make Declamatory one of the leading activities.

LOIS ATCHLEY, '30.



Top row: Bartow, Collins.
Lower row: Evans, Mrs. Gaunt, Pickett.

DEBATE

AFFIRMATIVE
William Evans
Llewellyn Pickett

NEGATIVE
Mary Collins
Delilah Bartow
Elva Treon

Coach—Mrs. Gaunt

The question for inter-scholastic debate for 1928-1929 was, "Resolved: That the United States should cease to protect by armed forces American capital invested in Latin America, except after a formal declaration of war."

A few of the members were on the debating team last year, and their experience proved helpful to them.

We were successful in winning the first-round of the State League Debates but unsuccessful in the second-round, a triangular contest with Clarion and Eagle Grove.

Dual meets were also held with Boone, Newton, Perry, Valley Junction, Webster City and Minburn.

DELILAH BARTOW, '31.



Top row: Batman, Forman, Starbuck, Malcolm.
Lower row: Covault, Friedrichs, Amlund, Mrs. Gaunt, Dixon, Snyder.

DRAMATIC CLUB

President . . . Katherine Amlund	Property Manager
Vice President . . . Albert Batman	Jeannette Friedrich
Secretary and Treasurer	Costumes Eva Dixon
Evelyn Covault	Make-up Manager . . . Byron Tripp
Stage Managers	Electrician Loren Forman
Philip Starbuck, Ferris Malcolm	Librarian Phyllis Snyder

The Dramatic Club, under the direction of Mrs. Fern Gaunt, was conducted after the manner of a Little Theatre. As in previous years many were interested. This year for the first time try-outs were held in order to choose the members. Many and divers Portias—fair and otherwise—pleaded the cause of mercy from the auditorium platform before the selection was made.

Lessons on make-up, technical stage terms, stage etiquette, and other essentials of dramatic art were studied. Pantomimes and one-act plays were given, discussed, and criticized within the club, and the pupils also expressed their views of productions brought to Ames by professional actors.

In a demonstration of the club's histrionic achievements before the High School assembly, a specially chosen cast reduced the audience to tears with its offering of a short but gripping sketch entitled "The Valiant."

Another innovation was the adoption of special pins for members of the Dramatic Club.

EVELYN COVAULT, '30.



Top row: Atchley, Evans, Mr. Vanderlinden, Pickett, Gehringer.
Lower row: Bartow, Collins, Mrs. Gaunt, Treon.

THE NATIONAL FORENSIC LEAGUE

OFFICERS

President	Llewellyn Pickett, '29
Vice President	William Evans, '29
Secretary-Treasurer	Mary Collins, '29

SPONSORS

Mr. J. S. Vanderlinden
Mr. Fern D. Gaunt

The National Forensic League is almost a new organization for Ames, as our chapter was installed only last year. The society is a national honor society which confers honorary degrees to students who attain high standings in public speech work. Participation in Debate, Declamatory and Extemporaneous speaking will make one eligible for the various degrees of honor according to the amount of competition and the success in their contests.

There is a key which distinguishes the members of the society, and which means that the wearer has done successful and distinctive work in the linguistic arts. To become a member of this society is an honor worth striving for. Membership in the National Forensic League represents outstanding ability in speech and interscholastic competition, and this society, although yet in its infancy, is fast obtaining recognition as a society of rank and prestige.

LLEWELLYN PICKETT, '29.



Top row: Slater, Fogel, Blumenschein, Hawley, Oberg, Flickinger, Miss Bower, Countryman, Woods, McWhinney, Holmes, Vanderlinden, Trow.
 Middle row: Doggett, A. McCurdy, Hughes, Melhus, Cunningham, Stephenson, M. Knudson, Smith, Hicks, Richardson, N. Levine.
 Middle row: Bower, Goosman, Stevens, M. Reid, Woods, Edwinson, J. Dunlap, Hearn, Williams, Robertson, Madsen.
 Lower row: Nelson, Tweet, Feroe.

MIXED CHORUS

President	Robert Hawley
Secretary-Treasurer	Ruth Feroe
Librarian	Avis Edwinson
Director	Miss Edna Bower

This year there are thirty-three people in the Mixed Chorus. To help out the boys' section we took in some of the Boys' Glee Club, and the Mixed Chorus boys are to fill the vacancies in the Glee Club.

This year the Mixed Chorus and Glee Clubs combined gave the Operetta "Pickles" on February 8. The proceeds from this were used to take us to the district and state contests.

The Mixed Chorus has made quite a name for itself in the annals of Ames High, for it has been very successful in contest work. Each year the music organizations hold a concert and sing their contest numbers to a home audience.

Ames has one of the largest Mixed Choruses of any class "B" school in the state, and we are sure it is also the best. We are very proud of it, and not without just cause.

WILLIAM HOLMES, '31.



Top row: Rutherford, McLaughlin, Friedrichs, Countryman, Amlund, Peterson, Hoon, Hilgendorf, Watson, Eller.
 Middle row: Gardner, V. Knudson, M. Farber, M. Larson, Matson, Hawley, M. Bennett, Scott, Dutch.
 Lower row: D. Arrasmith, E. Morrissey, Vanscoy, Atchley, Miss Bower, Hughes, Hartman, Griffith, Fisher.

GIRLS' GLEE CLUB

President	Ruth Hawley
Secretary and Treasurer	Mary Scott
Librarian	Lois Atchley
Director	Miss Edna Bower

Each year the Girls' Glee Club is chosen by ear and voice tests. This year the Club consists of about thirty members.

Having their record of four years as winners in the state musical contests broken last spring, the Glee Club worked hard to win this year.

The first part of the year was spent on voice training exercises. Following that, the club entered upon its contest work which lasted until about January, when it began, together with the Boys' Glee Club and Mixed Chorus, work on the Operetta "Pickles." The entire company consisted of about eighty students.

This year an extra elimination contest was held at Story City. This attracted much interest and much effort was put forth in preparing for it. Ames High School is entered in B Class as it has less than 500 students enrolled. The district contest was held at Ames, and, as usual, the winners of this entered the State contest at Iowa City.

MARJORIE HOON, '29.



Top row: Slater, McWhinney, Oberg, Flickinger, Blumenschein, Countryman, Vanderlinden.
Middle row: Fogel, McCurdy, Holmes, Hawley, Reed, Hicks, Doggett, E. Trow.
Lower row: Donelson, G. Bappe, Woods, Miss Bower, Atchley, Hughes, Richardson, N. Levine.

BOYS' GLEE CLUB

President	Frank Oberg
Librarian	Donald Tener
Secretary-Treasurer	Ted McWhinney

The Boys' Glee Club in the first semester had a large percent of unchanged voices, but it enthusiastically joined with the Mixed Chorus and Girls' Glee Club in giving the musical comedy, "Pickles," which went off with a bang. The profits of the operetta were used to send the club to Story City to sing in the sub-district contest.

Joined with the boys of Mixed Chorus, the Glee Club worked hard on contest music. The sub-district was followed by the district contest at Ames, then the slogan was "On to Iowa City to get the prize."

Several years ago there was a Boys' Glee Club in Ames High, but it was dropped for a time as there were not enough boys to take it. However, last year it was re-organized under the leadership of Miss McMains.

A concert was given the 26th of April to a very large and appreciative audience. This organization wishes to thank the students for their splendid coöperation.

MAX HEDRICK, '31.



Top row: A. McCurdy, Slater, Countryman, Miss Bower, Flickinger, McWhinney, Holmes.
Lower row: Woods, Amlund, Reid, Stephenson, Atchley, Williams, Blumenschein.

PICKLES

Hans, the innkeeper .	Allen McCurdy	Lady Vivian	Mary Reid
Louisa, his daughter		Rumski, detective .	Raymond Slater
	Anafred Stephenson	J. Jennison Jones, advertising ex-	
Jigo, the Gypsy chief		pert	McNeil Woods
	Ted McWhinney	Pennington, Pickle magnate	
Ilona, the Gypsy Princess			Alvin Countryman
	Kathrine Amlund	Jane, his daughter	
Captain Kinski, Chief of Secret			Mary Jane Williams
Service	Wayne Flickinger	Arthur Crefont, artist	
Bumski, detective .	William Holmes		Robert Blumenschein
Director		Miss Edna Bower	
Pianist		Lois Atchley	

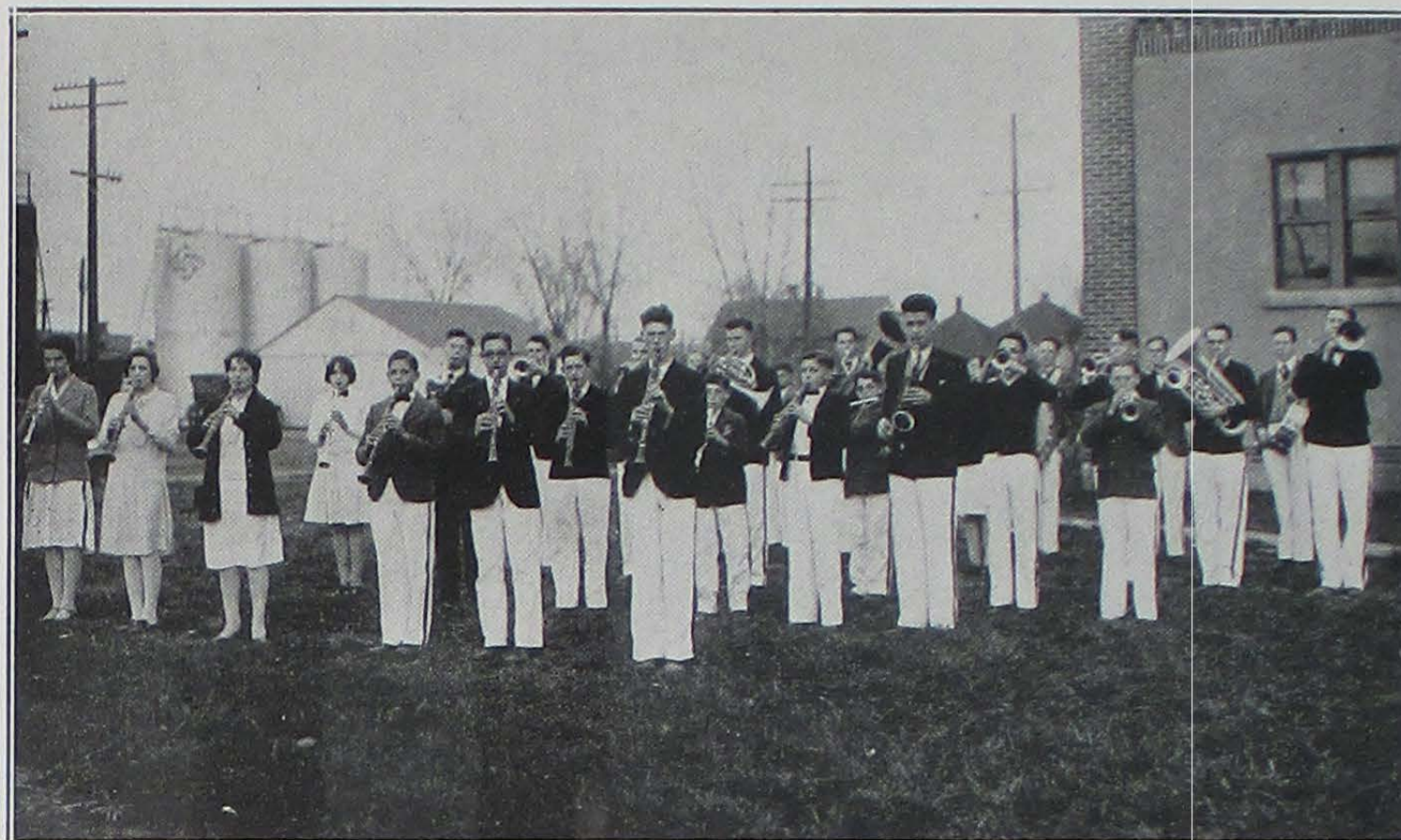
Jones, the advertising expert for Pennington Pickles, while in Venice, falls in love with Ilona, a gypsy Princess. The girl is later found to be the lost daughter of Lady Vivian. While the rich Americans are in Venice, Jigo and Kinski plot against them, but their plots fail and all ends happily.

The Operetta opened with the dance of the "pickle" girls, who later, with the pickle vender, distributed pickles throughout the audience.

The pretty solos, choruses, witty sayings and clever dances were highly appreciated by all present. Everyone caught the gay spirit of the carnival, and thought they were at a real one, when they were showered with confetti.

ALICE AGG. '29.





Back rows: N. Levine, A. McCurdy, G. Byers, V. Redlinger, F. Kratoska, Taylor, N. Levine, Knapp, E. Starbuck, McNabb, R. Long, Cooker, Hawley, Hongham, Ball, Jorgensen, Flickinger, Beresford, J. McCurdy, Tammen, Harvey, Trow, B. Briley, R. Carey, L. Siemers, Slater, Vance, Bates, E. Levine, O'Neil, Shipp, Behick, E. Kooser, Havens, S. Olsen.
Front row: M. Olsen, Campbell, Treon, G. Redlinger, Bittenbender, Dunlap, Cunningham.

BAND

President	Louis Havens
Vice President	Wayne Flickinger
Director	Mr. Day
Librarian	Robert Hawley

The band of forty pieces has made considerable progress this year under the direction of Mr. Richard D. Day. This is Mr. Day's second year in Ames High and he deserves most of the credit in making it what it is.

A new policy has been adopted this year. Instead of being just a Senior High organization as it has been in the past, it is an allschool band. Junior High students are allowed to become members. This increases the size and appearance of the band. By the time these younger members are in High School they will be good musicians.

The band turned out in full uniform at the Story County Diamond Jubilee and marched in the parade. It gave stiff competition to the city band, which also played. Immediately following the parade, the band, pep club, and a large crowd of people marched to the field house for the football game.

This is the first year the band has entered the state contest. It was badly in need of more instruments and thus was handicapped in the contest. In the future the school intends to possess several instruments of its own.

coöperation.

LOUIS HAVENS, '29.
First Prize.



Top row: Wilbur, M. Olsen, Blumenschein, S. Olsen, Kooser, Harvey, Ball, Cunningham, Slater, Delamore.
 Middle row: L. Siemers, G. Redlinger, Treon, Gernes, Byers, Mr. Day, Brown, E. Trow, Riggs, Tammen, N. Levine.
 Lower row: Campbell, Heuerman, Jacoby, Allen, Evvard, Levine, Hicks, V. Redlinger, Siemers, Vanderlinden.

ORCHESTRA

President	Gerald Byers
Vice President	Mildred Olsen
Librarian	Velma Redlinger
Director	Mr. R. Day

Many of the members of the Orchestra had two years experience, so we made much progress this year.

Although our instrumentation was better than in previous years, we did not feel proficient enough to enter the contests.

We played for Class Plays and Declamatory Contests, as well as for many other occasions and were always ready to do our part on the program.

There were about thirty-two members in the orchestra, but we hope next year to have more.

The purpose of this organization is to create an interest in music in the High School and to help out in performances when asked. Each member tried to become a better player through work in the orchestra.

We wish to express our appreciation for the co-operation and attention given to our entertainments.

VELMA REDLINGER, '29.



Top row: Erickson, Sorenson, Thomas, Downs, Bills.
Lower row: Countryman, Larsen, Palmer, Wortman.

ART CLUB

President Pauline Bills
Vice President Walter Downs

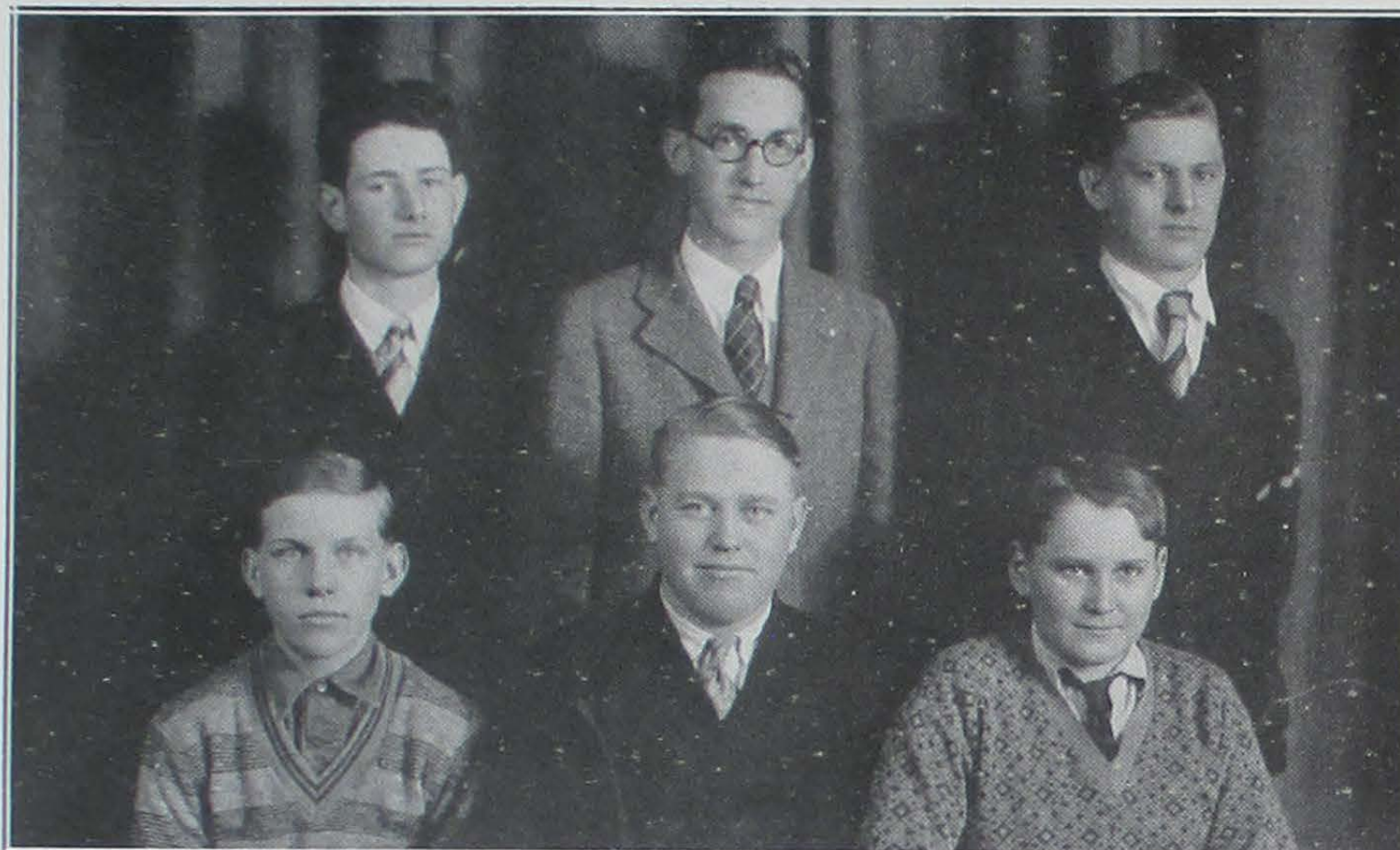
The Art Club of Ames High School met every Monday in the office of Miss McNutt, the art education supervisor. Three meetings a month were given to work on individual handicraft; the other meeting was a business meeting or discussion in charge of the President.

Everyone who liked the scenery in the Gypsy Camp of "Pickles" should know that the background and wings were painted by members of the Art Club under direction of Miss McNutt and Mr. Lorenz. Many people who know about such things said (compliments are always heard by the right ears, you know) that the stage had a very professional look.

The problem for the second semester was that of designing and making nameplates for the rooms in the building. They were made of decorative metal, announced the principal subject taught in that room, and bore a symbolic design.

The Club also took up another necessary phase of art education—appreciation. It was important to know why a picture was good, something of the artist, the school, and anything extraordinary about the picture or its theme. To have a thorough knowledge of pictures was to have an education in beauty.

ALICE WORTMAN, '31.
Second Prize.



Top row: Andrews, M. Bundy, Malcolm.
Lower row: Randau, Roland West, D. Gilchrist.

AMES HIGH JUDGING SQUAD

Each year the Ames High School is represented in the State High School Judging Contest by a team of three men. The judging team is open to anyone, but usually is selected from among the members of the vocational agriculture class since training in the selection of seed and live stock constitutes an important part of the regular class work.

The 1929 team took part in the judging of crop seed. In the judging of grain and crops, six lines were judged with reasons required on one class of each line. Two classes of ear corn, two classes of shelled corn, one class each of oats, barley, wheat, and legume seed are included in the contest. In addition an identification contest was included wherein weed seed and crop seed must be rightly named. Cups and ribbons were awarded the winners of the contests. The 1929 team was chosen from the above squad prior to the contest in May.

MR. SWANSON.



Top row: Morris, Sill, Olsen, Kratoska, Bills.
Middle row: Baker, Carr, D. Smith, Andrews, Esval.
Lower row: Wheelock, Keltner, Younie, F. Farber, Siemers, Edwinson.

COMMERCIAL CLUB

President	Paul Younie
Vice President	Mildred Olsen
Secretary	Marjorie Sill
Treasurer	Mildred Wheelock
Sponsor	Mrs. Anna Young

The Commercial Club is rather a recent, but nevertheless, very worthwhile and beneficial organization. This is its second year.

This Club is composed of second year students of Commercial work. At present, it consists of seventeen members. It has done work for many and varied departments, grade schools, etc.

The aim of the Club is business efficiency. We are prepared to step into a job at any time and make a success of it. We have a course in office training and salesmanship. Accuracy in all our work is stressed. We have an opportunity to operate the mimeograph, adding machine, dictaphone, comptometer, and the ditto machine, which will give us experience in operating machines of general use in office work.

In order to show some of our appreciation for the services and many kindnesses shown by Mrs. Young, she was presented with a little remembrance at Christmas.

MILDRED OLSEN, '29.



Lower row: Batman, Coe, Smith, Kooser, McWhinney, Woodruff.
 Middle row: Kelley, S. Miller, Kinderman, Haigler, Oberg, Tripp.
 Lower row: Swanson, Robert West, Mrs. Young, Roland West, Packard.

VOCATIONAL TYPEWRITING

President	Clinton Kelley
Vice President	Elgin Smith
Secretary	Byron Tripp
Treasurer	Tom Woodruff

Vocational Typewriting is preparatory to the business world.

In it we learn the fundamentals of the office and how to "stand on our own feet" after we have finished our schooling. Perhaps this course will be the means by which we will make our living.

Under the heading, Vocational Typewriting, we have taken up the study of business letters, how to write checks, filing and the making of statements and receipts. We have written all manner of Law Forms and are expected to know how to do these things without a supervisor.

This course is, perhaps, one of the most beneficial and one of the most worth while that the high school offers.

We all feel that our time has not been spent in vain and urge everyone to become at least interested in the activities of so newly an organized class.

B. TRIPP, '29.



Top row: Durrell, M. Dunlap, Olsen, Stephenson, Nichols.
Middle row: Proctor, Gernes, Kelso, Barber, Feroe.
Lower row: Griffith, Miss Coder, Fuchs, Mrs. Anderson, Bennett.

GIRL RESERVES

President	Anafred Stephenson
Vice President	Loya Durrell
Secretary	Frances Nichol
Treasurer	Anna Marie Gernes

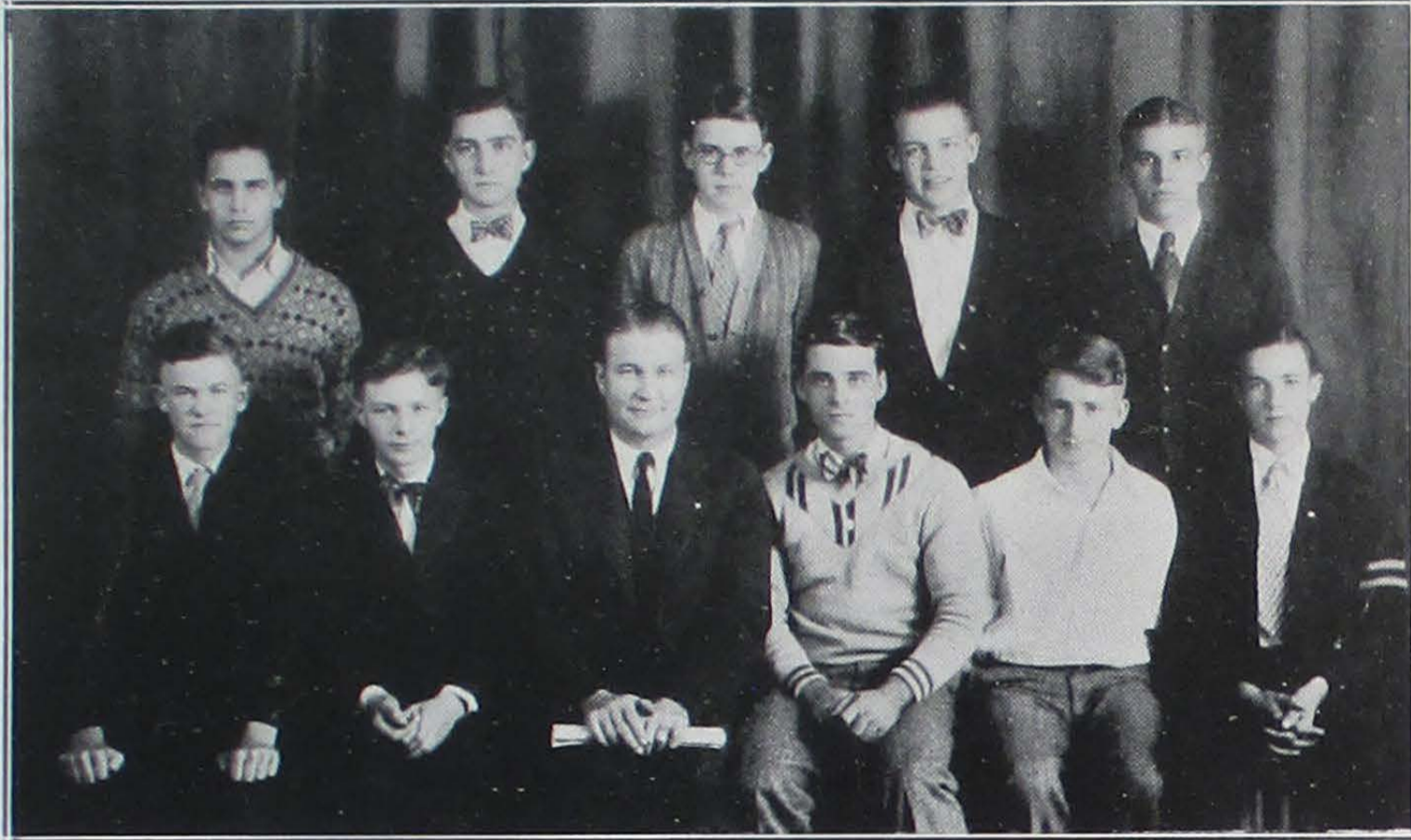
"The candles burn, and lo! a light is shining—" is there a Girl Reserve who does not love that beautiful song together with others of the organization? This year the Girl Reserves spent much time in singing, and added a number of new songs to their old favorites.

The programs for the meetings pertained to the topic, "Windows." Outstanding musicians of the city, alumnae, and many of the girls themselves helped to develop the programs. Did you ever hear a member say, "The meeting was a bore?" Hardly.

During the year we had several parties. At one, a Hallowe'en affair, half the girls dressed in masculine apparel and were very gallant toward the other half.

At the end of the school year the G. R. Athletic Emblem was awarded to those girls who had earned the required eight points, and the Girl Reserve Ring to the girls who had proved themselves to be most truly living the G. R. Code. The right to wear the Ring is the greatest honor that can be given to an Ames High girl.

JEANNETTE FRIEDRICH, '30.



Top row: Fish, Coe, Brown, Flickinger, Paulson.
Lower row: Byers, Jorgensen, Mr. Vanderlinden, Hughes, McCurdy, Hawley.

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	First Semester	Second Semester
President	Wayne Flickinger	Robert Hawley
Vice President	Robert Hawley	Woodrow Beard
Secretary	Allen McCurdy	Donald Byers
Treasurer	Paul Coe	Franklin Mettler

That peppy group of fellows which met every Wednesday in Room three must have believed in the old maxim "quality not quantity," for there was only a membership of seventy-five or thereabouts.

We were always striving to maintain and extend through the school and community high standards of Christian character.

Among the most interesting of the projects carried out by this organization, was the annual vocational conference which was preceded by a banquet. Here we were encouraged to talk over our problems with men who have been affiliated with boys for many years and who are anxious and able to plan and help us decide our life vocation.

ALLEN MCCURDY, '30.



Top row: N. Levine, Holmes, Evans, Buchanan, Adams, Hughes.
Middle row: M. Farber, Cunningham, Andrews, Larsen, Carr, Kildee.
Lower row: Covault, Agg, Miss Tingley, Goodwin, Miss Canvin, Redlinger, Goosman.

WEB

Editor-in-Chief . . . Norman Levine
Associate Editor . . . Regina Kildee
Art Editors
Evelyn Covault and Walter Adams
Sports
Walter Adams and Wm. Holmes
Organizations
Daniel Hughes and M. Cunningham
Exchange Velma Redlinger
Humor and Feature
Joe Buchanan and Dorothy Goosman

Special Features
William Evans, Laura Sayre,
and Alice Agg

Class Reporters:
Sophomore, Martha Farber and Margaret Larson; Junior, Joe Buchanan and Evelyn Covault; Senior, Margaret Andrew and Ruth Carr.
Literary Doris Goodwin
Typists

Margaret Andrew and Ruth Carr
Sponsors: Miss Tingley, Miss Canvin

The Web has been very successful this year. It has been the school semi-weekly magazine for two years. Although it is a young organization, it is flourishing and has published many very interesting and attractive issues.

This paper tries to maintain the highest ideals of the school and back the best measures. It also gives an accurate account of the school's activities which will no doubt be interesting to us in later years.

The Web has a long exchange list which keeps us in touch with what other schools are doing.

Several members of *The Web* staff went to Grinnell this year to the State High School Journalistic Convention. They brought back many new ideas which they used to "pep" up their paper.

ALICE AGG, '30.



Top row: Cunningham, Smith, Flickinger, Harvey, Sill.
Lower row: Redlinger, Stephenson, Havens, Andrews, Wheelock.

NATIONAL HONOR SOCIETY

	First Semester	Second Semester
President . . .	Wayne Flickinger	Marjorie Cunningham
Vice President . .	Anafred Stephenson	Louis Havens
Secretary	Marjorie Sill	Margaret Andrew
Treasurer	William Evans	Elgin Smith

The National Honor Society is a nation-wide organization whose members have been chosen by the Faculty on a basis of scholarship, character, leadership, and service.

This society was organized in Ames Senior High in 1927, and although the members must belong to the upper one-fourth of their class, and only fifteen percent of each class is allowed membership, the Ames Chapter has now a total of forty-two, including the charter members.

Five percent are admitted at the close of the Junior year, five percent at the close of the first semester of the Senior year, and five percent at the close of the Senior year.

Each semester new officers are elected. No person may hold office more than one semester.

Membership in the Honor Society is worth striving for, and we feel when we have been initiated into this group of scholarly people, that our labors have not been in vain.

WILLIAM EVANS, '29.



Top row: V. Redlinger, Andrews, Miss Kinnier, Miss Tingley, Stephenson, Kildee.
Lower row: Hall, Adams, Miss Canvin, Miss Lynch, N. Levine, Covault.

QUILL AND SCROLL

Margaret Andrews	.	.	.	.	President
Regina Kildee	.	.	.	.	Vice President
Walter Adams	.	.	.	.	Secretary-Treasurer

Among the newer organizations in Ames High is the Quill and Scroll. It is an honorary society, the members being selected by the literary sponsors with the approval of national authorities.

In order to be a member of this society, students must meet the following requirements: They must be of at least junior standing, they must be in the upper third of their class in scholastic standing, and they must have done superior work in some phase of journalism.

New members were admitted into the society during the first part of the second semester, and were formally initiated at the Quill and Scroll Luncheon.

ANAFRED STEPHENSON, '29



Top row: Covault, Adams, Muceus, Ccon, Hughes, Rushia.
Lower row: Erickson, Cooper, Atchley, Miss Lynch, Hawley, Matson.

JUNIOR CLASS PLAY

Olivia Dangerfield, alias Jane Ellen	Burton Crane	Robert Hawley
Evelyn Covault	Thomas Lefferts	Kenneth Coon
Elizabeth Dangerfield, alias Araminta	Solon Tucker	Walter Adams
Lois Atchley	Paul Dangerfield, alias Smithfield	Daniel Hughes
Mrs. Falkner	Charles Dangerfield, alias Brindley	Baldwin Muceus
Carmen Rushia	Randolph Weeks	Keith Cooper
Laura Matson		
Marguerite Erickson		
Business Manager	Robert Cunningham	
Assistant	Doris Fish	
Stage Manager	William Dailey	
Assistant	Joe Scoltock	
Director	Miss Lynch	

On December 13, the above cast of characters successfully presented the play "Come Out of the Kitchen," a comedy in three acts.

The setting is a fashionable residence of the famous Dangerfield family. The action centers around the four Dangerfield children who, when left in charge of their home while their parents travel in Europe, run short of funds and rent it for the sum of five thousand for a month. Their futile attempts to secure servants for the household cause them to act as servants under false names. The many mishaps which follow aid in making the play a very humorous farce.

RUTH FEROE, '29.



Top row: Paulson, Coe, F. Brown, Truesdell, Flickinger, Batman.
Middle row: Nelson, Carr, Arnold, Stephenson, E. Roberson, Durrell, Treon.
Lower row: Tripp, Allen, Mrs. Gaunt, Reid, Levine.

SENIOR CLASS PLAY "THE THIRTEENTH CHAIR"

CAST

Helen O'Neil . . .	Dorothy Nelson	Philip Mason . . .	Richard Paulson
Will Crosby . . .	Leo Jorgenson	Elizabeth Erskine . . .	Ruth Carr
Mrs. Crosby . . .	Mary Reid	Pollock . . .	Albert Batman
Roscoe Crosby . . .	Wayne Flickinger	Rosalie La Grange	
Edward Wales . . .	Byron Tripp	Anafred Stephenson	
Mary Eastwood . . .	Elva Treon	Tim Donahue . . .	Kenneth Allen
Helen Trent . . .	Loya Durrell	Sergeant Dunn . . .	Norman Levine
Grace Standish . . .	Marjorie Sill	Doolan . . .	Farwell Brown
Braddish Trent . . .	Eldon Roberson	Business Manager . . .	Dale Arnold
Howard Standish . . .	Paul Coe	Stage Manager . . .	Ray Truesdell
Coach . . .	Mrs. Gaunt		

"The Thirteenth Chair," written by Bayard Veiller, is a drama of mystery. So ingeniously has Mr. Veiller built his play that in the desirable it surpasses all the plays of its kind. A clairvoyant, supposed to be of greater note than other figures of this class, is constantly in the foreground, giving additional stimulation, necessarily somewhat weird and creepy, to the quickly flying and cleverly contrived incidents. While this clairvoyant is in a trance a murder occurs, suspicion centers momentarily upon each member of the cast who was present during the seance. But through the combined efforts of Madame La Grange and Inspector Donahue, the mystery is solved; the murderer is found and made to confess.

WAYNE FLICKINGER, '29.



Top row: Watson, Hilgendorf, Batman, Dixon, E. Levine.
Middle row: E. Starbuck, Fisher, Collins, Packard, Treon, Hicks.
Lower row: Scoltock, Snyder, Mrs. Gaunt, P. Starbuck, Hawley, Fish.

DRAMATIC CLUB PLAY

"SMILIN' THROUGH"

Sarah Wayne . . . Frances Packard	Kathleen Dungannon . Phyllis Snyder
Mary Clare Mary Collins	Willie Ainley Eugene Levine
John Cartaret . . . Charles Fish	Kenneth Wayne . . Philip Starbuck
Dr. Owen Harding . . Joe Scoltock	Jeremiah Wayne . . Philip Starbuck
Ellen Mae Fisher	Moonyeen Clare . . Ruth Hawley

Guests: Eva Dixon, Elva Treon, Esther Hilgendorf, Phyllis Watson, Elbert Starbuck, Albert Batman, Eugene Levine, Paul Coe.

Accompanists	Doris Fish, Ruth Feroe
Business Manager	Albert Batman
Stage Manager	Ferris Malcolm
Director	Mrs. Gaunt

"Smilin' Through," the production by the Dramatic Club of Ames High School, was one of the most delightful three act romantic comedies that could be compressed into a single evening's entertainment.

This presentation under the direction of Mrs. Fern D. Gaunt will serve as the foundation for future plays to be presented by this organization.

Unique specialties between acts were received with hearty enthusiasm. Persons in the specialties:

Margaret Evvard, Pauline Watson, Melba Hearn, Neva Carey, Mary Proctor, Jeannette Friedrich, Beulah Iler, Evelyn Covault, Ine Alleman, Dorisdean Draper.



Top row: Stahlman, Van Scoy, Michaelson, Stephenson, Cunningham, Fish, Nichols, M. Dunlay, Durrell, Kildee, Gernes, Carr.
 Middle row: Haigler, Stevens, Packard, Cole, Skortman, Nelson, Hoon, Kelso, Edwinston, Sheahan, Mad-
 sen, Melhus.
 Lower row: Barber, Hiner, Hawley, Iler, Alleman, Miss Coder, Draper, Bower, Allen, Agg, Flickinger, Burnett.

PEP CLUB

President	Marjorie Cunningham
Vice President	Frances Nichol
Secretary and Treasurer	Regina Kildee

"Your pep—your pep. You've got it—now keep it, doggone it, don't lose it. Your pep—your pep!" Can't you see the long, snaky line, chanting rhythmically, wind across the frosty field? And among the peppiest of the group were the orange-jacketed Pep Club girls.

By having an organized body to take the lead in yelling, plenty of pep was generated. One of the qualifications for Pep Club membership is good sports-
 manship.

MARJORIE CUNNINGHAM, '29.



Hawley, Norris, Iler.
 Seventy-eight



BOYS' ATHLETICS



Charles Fish '23

RAY TRUESDELL *Senior*
Guard, third year, three letters

WAYNE FLICKINGER *Senior*
Tackle, second year, one letter

KENNETH ALLEN *Senior*
Fullback, first year, one letter

FRANK OBERG *Senior*
Guard, second year, one letter

HOWARD MILLER *Senior*
Halfback, first year

ALVIN COUNTRYMAN *Junior*
Halfback, second year, one letter

CHARLES FISH *Junior*
Quarterback, first year

CAPTAIN DALE ARNOLD *Senior*
Quarterback, third year, three letters



CLARENCE STAHLMAN *Sophomore*
Full-back, first year, one letter

"Ding" Engeldinger
HARVEY ENGELDINGER *Junior*
Quarter-back, first year

C. S. ROBERTS *Second year*
Assistant coach

RAY VANDERLINDEN *Senior*
Guard, first year

G. M. CAMPBELL *Sixth year*
Athletic Director

ROBERT DAVIS *Senior*
Tackle, first year

CLINTON KELLY *Senior*
End, third year, three letters

TOM WOODRUFF *Junior*
Guard, second year, two letters



ARTHUR NELSON *Junior*
Center, first year

HARRY MCGRUFF *Senior*
Guard, first year, one letter

DICK PAULSON *Senior*
End, second year, two letters

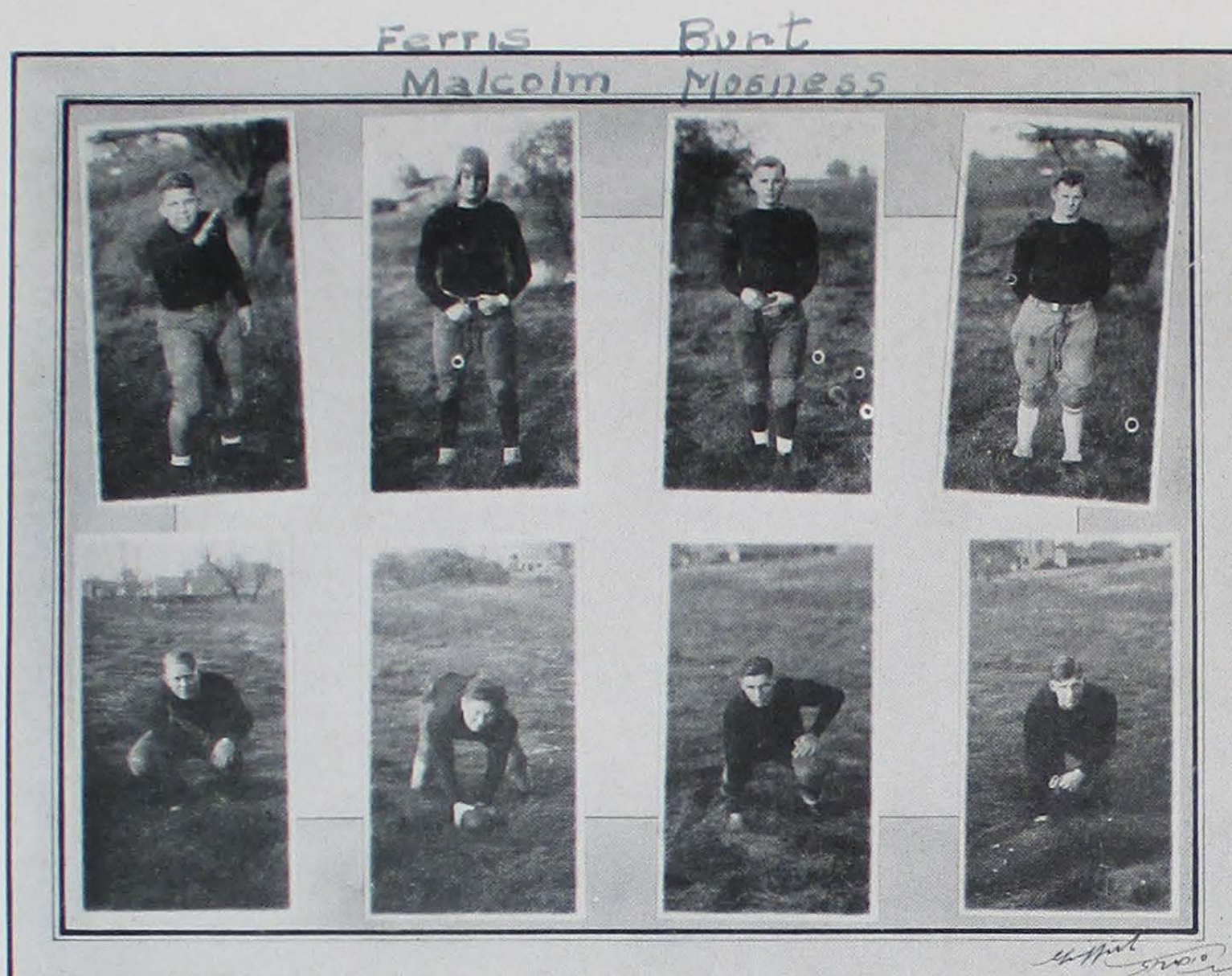
LEROY DAUBERT *Senior*
End, third year, three letters

FRANK PETTIT *Senior*
Center, third year, three letters

FRANCIS MULLICA *Sophomore*
Half-back, first year

WOODROW BEARD *Sophomore*
Tackle, first year, one letter

CHARLES MURRAY *Junior*
End, first year



KENNETH RUGGLES *Junior*
Half-back, third year, three letters

ROLAND WEST *Senior*
Guard, first year

FERRIS MALCOLM *Senior*
End, second year

GORDON O'NEIL *Senior*
Guard, first year, one letter

BURTON MOSNESS *Junior*
Half-back, second year

CLIFFORD ANDERSON *Junior*
Half-back, second year, one letter

JAMES MCCURDY *Junior*
Fullback, first year

VERNON ERICKSON *Sophomore*
Tackle, first year



FOOTBALL SUMMARY

Ames High had a very successful team this year. With eight lettermen back and lots of good material to choose from, Coach Campbell developed a powerful team. Playing some of the best teams in the state and having an eleven-game schedule, Ames won five games, tied three and lost three. We tied with Boone for third place in the Little Six Conference. Early in the season in a practice game, Kelley had the hard luck to injure his knee, which kept him out of most of the games. The climax of the season was when Ames beat Boone by the decisive score of 14 to 6, giving Boone their only defeat. "Bugs" Arnold was chosen by the squad as Captain of the team for this year. "Bugs" played a good game at either halfback or quarterback. This is his third year of varsity competition in Ames High and we are glad to see him so honored. Although this has been a most successful season, let us hope that the season of 1929 will be still more successful.

FOOTBALL

AMES 3

NORTH HIGH 19

On September 22, Ames, playing the first game of the season, was defeated by North High 19 to 3.

Ames scored first, when at the beginning of the second period, Arnold kicked goal from the field. However, our team began to weaken, and North High made two touchdowns shortly before the end of the first half. At the beginning of the second half, Coach Campbell put in a whole new team that finished the game and held North High to one touchdown. The one play to gain ground for Ames was made by Anderson, who played a good game at left-halfback.

AMES 18

STATE TEACHERS HIGH 0

On October 5, after two weeks of practice, Ames played Teachers High, defeating them 18 to 0. We failed to run up a large score as we were saving our strength for Clarion whom we were to play the following day, October 6.

AMES 0

CLARION 15

Clarion avenged their last year's defeat by beating us 15 to 0. Ames held the powerful Clarion eleven scoreless the first half. In the second half Clarion took the ball close to the Ames goal line where Ames showed a strong defense but was unable to block a dropkick. After that the Ames defense crumpled, and Clarion succeeded in pushing across two counters before the final whistle.

Ames played good football but was unable to stand the pace of two games so close together.

Eighty-four



THE SPIRIT

OSKALOOSA 0

AMES 0

A week later the Little Cyclones journeyed to Oskaloosa to play the strong "Oskey" eleven. The game was played on a muddy field. Although neither team scored, Oskaloosa threatened the Ames goal only once, while on the other hand the Ames team outplayed their opponents threatening to score several times but lacked the final punch. Ames gained 190 yards to 89 for "Oskey" who failed to make first down the second half.

AMES 0

NEWTON 0

On October 20, Newton came to Ames to battle us on our own field. It was the Homecoming game, and our team tried hard to win. Although they were within scoring distance, they were unable to put the ball across. Newton showed but little offense, gaining only 45 yards to Ames 320 and failing to make a first down. The game ended 0 to 0.

It is the third consecutive year that the two teams have played to scoreless ties.

AMES 0

MARSHALLTOWN 6

Again playing on their own field, the Ames High eleven went down to a 6 to 0 defeat at the hands of Marshalltown. The Little Cyclones held their heavier opponents scoreless until the final moments of play, when Marshalltown ran across a touchdown and made the point. The Ames High eleven showed strong defensive power in this game.

AMES 31

STORY CITY 0

Playing in the morning on the Story City field, the Ames team whipped the "Swedes" 31 to 0. Even though the game was played on a wet, muddy field the Ames "backs" had little trouble in putting across touchdowns.

AMES 14

BOONE 6

On November 10, Ames met their ancient rivals, the highly praised and undefeated Boone team, and beat them 14 to 6. Boone scored their touchdown at the beginning of the second quarter on a nicely worked pass. In the second quarter Ames opened up a powerful driving and passing attack. Arnold went over just as the half ended. He made a perfect dropkick for an extra point.

In the second half, Boone came back strong and made a drive for a touchdown, but the Ames defense stiffened and held them. In the final quarter Stahlman intercepted a pass and put the ball within scoring distance, and a pass to Paulson counted for Ames' second score. Arnold kicked goal. The game ended with the ball about midfield. In this game the Little Cyclones showed powerful offensive and defensive playing.



AMES 13

GRINNELL 6

This game was played at Grinnell on a cold, wet, snowy field. Our boys won 13 to 6. Ames scored in the first and last quarters, and Grinnell's counter came shortly before the end of the first half. Both teams were handicapped by the cold and wet. Consequently neither eleven showed its best form.

AMES 0

VALLEY JUNCTION 0

Another scoreless tie was chalked up for Ames when they met the strong Valley Junction team. Both teams played good football, and each team threatened to score once. Ames recovered a fumble on the kickoff, but lost the ball on downs on the five-yard line. Valley Junction, after a march up the field in the final quarter, was held by Ames on the no-yard-line. The game ended with the ball about mid-field.

Ames was the only team that Valley Junction was unable to score upon this year.

AMES 26

NEVADA 0

On Thanksgiving Day, Nevada came over to Ames to settle a little argument by means of a football game. Ames won by a score of 26 to 0. In the first half, Ames played very poor football, scoring only one touch down. However, the real strength of our team was shown in the third quarter when three touch downs were made. In the last quarter Coach Campbell substituted freely and neither team scored. The game ended with the ball in Ames' possession on Nevada's 30-yard line.

This was the last game of the season and the following Seniors, who have so faithfully gone through "thick and thin" to win honors for Ames High, have played their last game for us: Arnold, Allen, Alexander, Daubert, Davis, Flickinger, Malcolm, McGriff, Oberg, O'Neil, Paulson, Pettit, Truesdell, Roland West, Woodruff, and Kelley.

GOLF, 1928

The 1928 Golf team had three meets. On May 12, they placed fifth in the Oskaloosa Conference Meet. May 19th, at the State Meet, sponsored by East High of Des Moines, Ames placed twelfth. On May 26, in a dual meet with East High, Ames was defeated 12-0.

The team was made up of Banks, Coe, Engeldinger, Foster, and Kooser.

This is the fourth year for golf in Ames High School. It was started in 1925 by Coach G. M. Campbell, and although playing conditions are not very favorable, Ames always has a team to enter into the competition.





Top row: Franklin Mettler, Homer Batman, Bill Ash, Coach Roberts, Glen Johnson, Rex Truesdell, Merle Ball, Joe Scoltock, Chas. Brown, Mike Stuhlsatz, Francis Taylor, Jim McCurdy.
Lower row: Virgil Matlack, James Dickeson, Preston Reed, Edward Brindley, Howard Miller, Forest Sorenson, Joe Schneider, Bill Nelson.

FOOTBALL

SECOND TEAM

AMES 13	N. DES MOINES 0
AMES 6	BOONE 0
AMES 13	MAXWELL FIRST TEAM THERE 0
AMES 32	MAXWELL FIRST TEAM HERE 0
AMES 19	MARSHALLTOWN 0

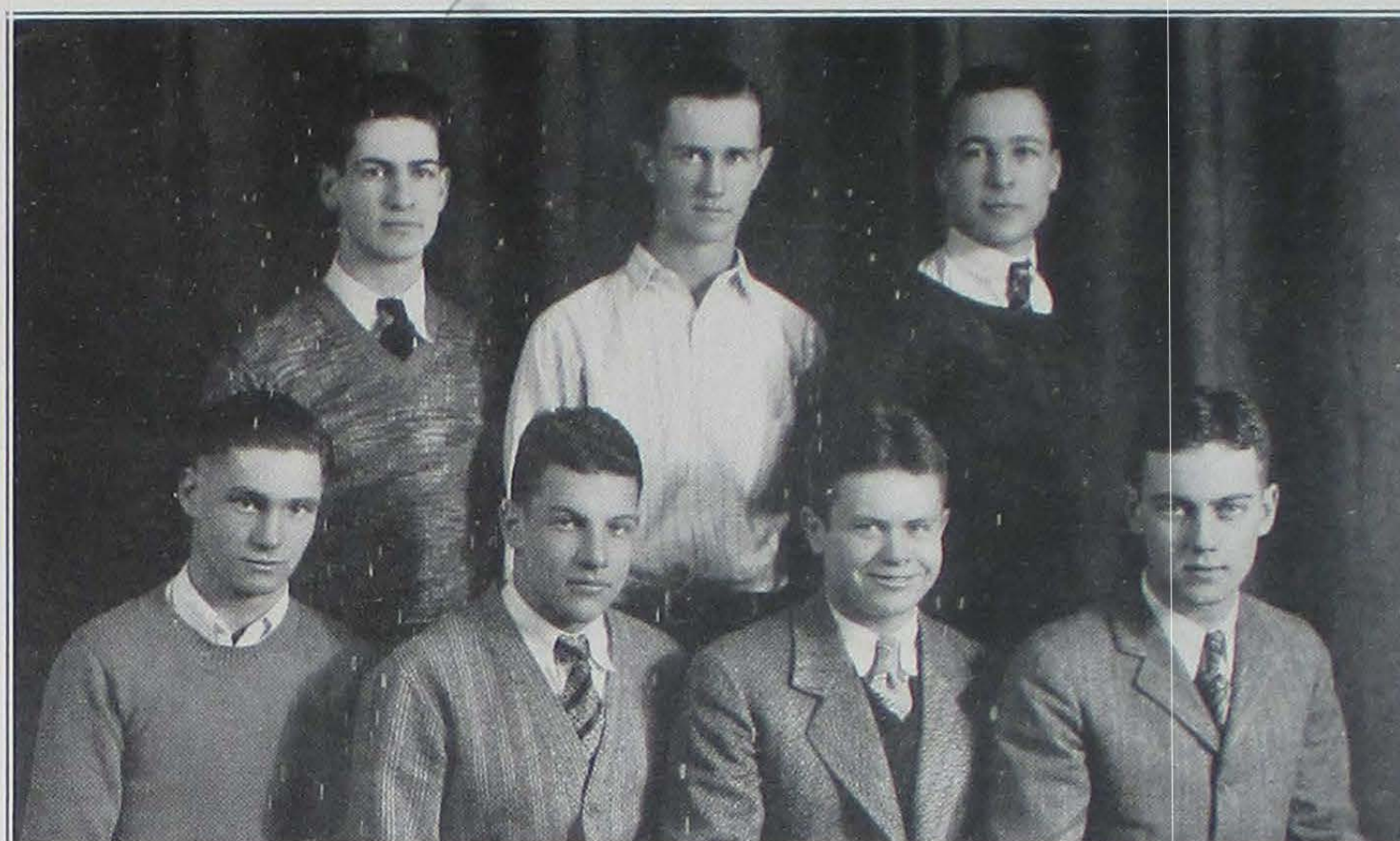
This year, the second team, coached by Mr. Roberts, also had a very successful season. The Second Team was not defeated in any game, and although they played some of the strongest Second Teams in the state, their goal line remained uncrossed.

There were no outstanding players, but they were not needed because they had team work at all times. In all their games, the squad played with an aggressiveness and "fight" that bewildered their opponents.

In practice scrimmages with the first squad, the Second Team always played their hardest and made the varsity work hard for all scores.

The purpose of a Second Team is to give some experience to the reserve material. This plan was first started in this school by Coach G. M. Campbell and has proved very successful.

WAYNE FLICKINGER, '29.



Top row: Cameron, Smith, P. Starbuck.
Lower row: C. Anderson, Oberg, Pettit, Arnold.

BASKETBALL

Ames	18	Grinnell	21	"	12	Boone	16
"	15	Boone	23	"	14	Story City	31
"	18	Newton	22	"	15	Nevada	17
"	22	Marshalltown	35	"	14	Newton	15
"	15	Oskaloosa	13	"	9	Marshalltown	25
"	19	Story City	17	"	4	N. High, D. M.	30
"	19	Grinnell	30	"	11	Oskaloosa	20
"	16	Nevada	10				

SECTIONAL TOURNAMENT

Ames	19	Story City	11
"	18	Boone	10
"	10	Perry	9

COUNTY TOURNAMENT

Ames	22	Nevada	21
"	22	Zearing	19
"	14	Gilbert	31

At the opening of the basketball season, Coach Campbell had three lettermen and good material from which to choose a team. Since they were allowed only two nights a week for practice, he and his men had to make good use of their time.

As the date for the first game approached, the best combination seemed to be, Daubert at center, Kelley and Arnold forwards, Pettit and Oberg guards. Although Arnold and Oberg did not receive letters last year, both had considerable experience in their respective positions. Also Arnold seemed to have the best "basket eye" in the squad.

THE SPIRIT

The team lost the first four games. And among all the games Ames lost, six were lost by four points or less, which proves the team's hard luck.

The floorwork of the Ames squad, in which Pettit and Daubert were the main cogs, was far superior to that of the opponents, but they were unable to hit the basket. So it continued through the season. Coaches, officials, and spectators, all who saw the Little Cyclones in action, marveled at their splendid floorwork and—inability to score.

At the close of the first semester, Arnold became ineligible because of the eight semester ruling. This was a great loss because Arnold and Kelley were responsible for a great amount of Ames' scores.

Again the team met with ill luck when in the Nevada games Kelley got his knee, which he had hurt in football, wrenched again and was out for the rest of the season.

In the North High game, Oberg was the only regular player as Pettit, Daubert, and Kelley were out with injuries.

After the regular season was over Ames went to Boone to play in the Sectional Tournament. In the first round Ames defeated Story City, and Dickerson, a substitute forward, accounted for 17 of Ames' 19 points. The next round, Ames defeated Boone, thus redeeming all previous defeats. In the finals, Ames and Perry played a close game, but Ames was able to make one more point than Perry.

In the District Tournament at Newton, Ames was beaten in the first round.

Before the County Tournament, the team chose Le Roy Daubert as their Captain. This is Daubert's third year of varsity playing. Coach G. M. Campbell says that he has never had a better center than Daubert since he has been in Ames.

In the first round of the County Tournament, Ames drew a bye. In the next two rounds the Little Cyclones won their games by close scores, and in the finals Gilbert won by a large margin. Our boys played good basketball but Gilbert played unusually well.

The following are Seniors: Daubert, Pettit, Kelley, Oberg, Arnold, Howard Miller, Paulson, Smith, Starbuck and Jorgenson.

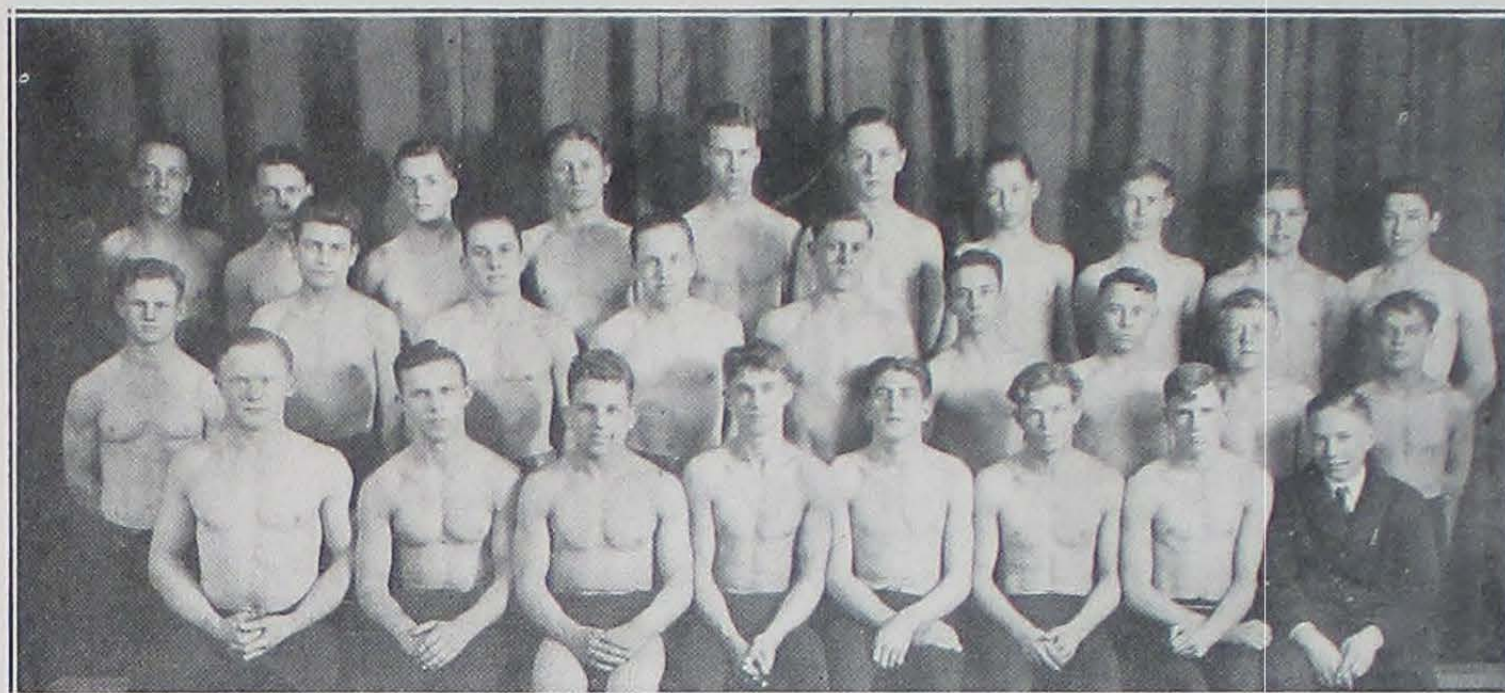
SECOND TEAM

Ames	6	Grinnell	17	"	8	Gilbert	9
"	7	Newton	17	"	21	Story City	20
"	10	Marshalltown	28	"	21	Nevada	11
"	27	Story City	10	"	16	Marshalltown	13
"	15	Nevada	4	"	17	N. High, D. M.	6

Playing good consistent basketball, the Ames High second team was able to defeat most of the squads they met this year. This group was made up of players, who, for the most part, had some previous experience. This together with their floor-work and ability to shoot baskets, accounts for their fine record.

The second team had no regular coach this year. Coach Campbell had charge during the first part of the season but it was necessary for him to spend most of his time with the first squad. Later in the season Ray Donels coached them and under his direction they lost but one game.

The second team fought hard and never gave up trying. There should be good material for next year's first team from this year's second squad.



Top row: G. Baker, Buttolph, Carter, Downs, Taylor, Rex Truesdell, Starbuck, Trow, R. Ruggles, E. Levine.
 Middle row: J. McCurdy, V. Loyd, G. Bappe, Schneider, Malcolm, R. Baker, M. West, D. Devore, Horning.
 Lower row: Ray Truesdell, Alexander, K. Ruggles, Brown, G. Loyd, Mullica, Knight (captain), Baggs.

WRESTLING, 1928-29

This year Ames High had the best wrestling team in its history. The team won six meets, and the only one which they lost was to Fort Dodge. The score at Fort Dodge might have been different if our crack Scotch Irishman, Jim McCurdy, had been in the lineup. In the conference meet our boys emerged with first honors, while in the state meet they placed second. Two of our boys, Kenneth Ruggles and Jim McCurdy, carried on to place Ames ninth in the National Meet.

AMES 20

JORDAN 5

Ames easily defeated Jordan in its first meet. Ames lost but one match, winning the remaining by falls.

AMES 28½

CARROLL 6½

We entirely outclassed our opponents in the first Conference Meet, by losing only one match, winning seven, and tying one. The feature match was put on by Captain Knight. Although Knight lost by a fall in the last second, it was easily the best match of the evening. Ruggles, even though outweighed twelve pounds, won a decision in the 155 pound class.

AMES 11

FORT DODGE 22

With McCurdy unable to participate because of a torn ligament in his arm, Ames had its only defeat of the season by the crack Fort Dodge team. The bouts were fast and exciting, the score being close and undecided until the last two matches. Ames lost the lighter weights, but Alexander won by a fall in the 155 pound class, while Ruggles, our two year state champion, and Truesdell turned in decisions.

AMES 18½

IOWA FALLS 12½

Ames in its third Conference Meet easily defeated Iowa Falls. McCurdy, our star 115 pounder, returned to the mat and quickly won by a fall. Iowa Falls

used defensive tactics through the entire meet; consequently we were unable to secure as many falls as we otherwise might have. During this meet Glennon Loyd was injured and was unable to enter this work again.

AMES 21½

CLARION 7½

Ames easily outclassed its upstate rival in another Conference Meet. We lost only two of the nine matches, tied one, and won the remaining six. Truesdell won the only fall of the meet by throwing his man in two minutes. Horning started Ames out in the correct manner by winning a decision, while West, McCurdy, Ruggles, and Alexander continued the good fortune by winning decisions. Mullica wrestled to a draw, while Captain Knight and Brown lost by close decisions.

AMES 32

EAGLE GROVE 5

In its last conference meet Ames won, losing only one match of the nine bouts. West, Knight, McCurdy, and Mullica all did good work in downing their opponents. Brown, who had hitherto lost practically every match, provided the upset by defeating last year's runnerup in the state meet. Malcolm won by a fall in the 145-pound class, while Ruggles, again wrestling out of his class in the 155 pound division, and Alexander both turned in falls.

AMES 21

ELDORA INDUSTRIAL TRAINING SCHOOL 16

This meet proved to be the closest and most exciting one staged in the field-house this year. Ames went against a hitherto undefeated team and proved its mettle by emerging with the big end of the score. In this meet, Alexander, undefeated in dual meets, threw Wood of the training school, who was also undefeated in dual meets.

AMES SECONDS 30

JORDAN 13

The Ames Second Team overwhelmingly defeated the Jordan squad by amassing 30 points to Jordan's 13. Jordan had to forfeit the 105, 115, 145 and heavyweight classes because their wrestlers in that class were ill.

CENTRAL IOWA CONFERENCE STANDING IN DUAL MEETS

Team	Won	Lost	Percentage
Fort Dodge	6	0	1.000
Ames	4	2	.800
Iowa Falls	2	2	.500
Carroll	2	3	.400
Clarion	2	4	.333
Sac City	1	3	.250
Eagle Grove	1	5	.200

CENTRAL IOWA CONFERENCE MEET

Ames returned from Fort Dodge with flying honors. We placed seven out of a possible nine in the meet. Ruggles, Truesdell, Captain Knight, and McCurdy won firsts for Ames while Alexander and West won seconds and Brown a third.

IOWA STATE MEET

Despite the fact that Ames had hard draws in the state meet, our wrestlers "brought home the bacon." Ruggles and McCurdy won the unparalleled

Ninety-one



honor of placing first in the meet, Captain Knight and Truesdell placed third, while Mullica and Alexander placed fourth. We amassed a total of 22 points, placing us second, with Fort Dodge first.

NATIONAL MEET

We sent our two state champions to the National Meet held at Northwestern University, Chicago. Ruggles and McCurdy both had tough draws. Our boys were unable to cope with the riding tactics used by the Oklahoma boys. McCurdy lost to the eventual Champion in the second round and Ruggles lost in the semi-finals to the winner. Ruggles, however, placed third, thus placing Ames ninth in the meet.

TRACK, 1928

In the first dual meet of the 1928 season, Ames defeated Boone 69-58. The next victory for Ames was a triangular meet with Story City and Nevada. The scores were, Ames 67; Story City 49; Nevada 45. This was a good meet and all events were hotly contested.

At the Drake Relays, in the preliminary heat, Ames placed third in the 440 and 880 yard runs.

In the County Track Meet, Ames placed first with $67\frac{1}{4}$ points, Nevada second with $44\frac{1}{4}$ points, and Story City third with $39\frac{1}{4}$ points.

At the Central Iowa High School Conference, Oskaloosa was first with $61\frac{1}{2}$ points, Marshalltown second with 49 points, Ames third with 22 points, Grinnell $14\frac{1}{2}$, Newton 9, Boone 9.

The District Track Meet was at Marshalltown. There were twenty-one schools competing. Cedar Rapids won with $56\frac{1}{2}$ points. Ames was fifth with $15\frac{1}{2}$ points.

Ames had four men in the State Meet but none of them placed.

When the season started, we had only a few experienced men, but the squad developed fast and was without a doubt the best team Ames had had for some time.

During the entire season Ames scored $243\frac{1}{4}$ points. Altogether there were 23 men competed in 7 meets.

WAYNE FLICKINGER, '29.

TENNIS, 1928

When the call for Tennis candidates was issued, sixteen men reported, but by the time the courts were in shape, seven had dropped out, leaving nine men on the squad.

Because of adverse weather there were only four meets beside the Conference Tournament, two with Nevada, and two with Marshalltown.

Ames 2	Nevada 2
Ames 1	Nevada 3
Ames 7	Marshalltown 2
Ames 4	Marshalltown 2

For the third time in the History of Conference Tennis Meet, Ames has won both "singles" and "doubles" championship. Hawley won the singles, while Moody and Hammer took the doubles.

Hawley is back this year and will be a great asset to the team.

Ninety-two





TRAINERS

LYNN RICHARDSON

Lynn has been trainer before, so he knew what to do, when to do, and how to do. He was always happy and always the "life of the party," on trips.

ALLEN McCURDY

Allen proved his loyalty to Ames, by always being ready to do all that was expected of him. He was always on the job with a happy smile.

DONALD BYERS

This is Don's first year in Ames Hi and the way he worked in his capacity as trainer showed that he had the real Ames Hi spirit.

EDGAR KOOSER

Ed is another one of the trainers who has had previous experience. It was his job to be on the field to doctor any minor injuries and cuts.

A TEST OF FRIENDSHIP

Milly Olsen: "Come on, you should be willing to loan me money. One friend should always be willing to help another."

Loya Durrell: "I know it, but you will insist on always being the other."

BETTER TRY IT

Icky Olsan: "I wish that someone would give me a cure for insomnia."

Bob Norris: "Have you ever tried talking to yourself?"

REVISED VERSION

All work and no play makes jack and lots of it.

Miss Seaman: "What happened in 1854?"

Wayne Flick: "I don't know."

Miss Seaman: "Well, where should you go when you want to find a date?"

Wayne: "828 Grand Avenue."

HONEST RUTHIE

Street Car Conductor: "How old are you, little girl?"

Ruthie Feroe: "If the corporation doesn't object, I'll pay full fare and keep my statistics."

WHERE IS THE THIRD?

Miss Coder: "What are the teeth fastened to?"

Florence Farber: "To the gums."

Miss Coder: "How many gums have we?"

Florence: "Three. Beech-nut, Spearmint, and Juicy Fruit."

AID TO SOLITUDE

An onion a day keeps even flies away.

PUBLICITY

The codfish lays a million eggs,
While the helpful hen lays one;
But the codfish doesn't cackle
To inform you what she's done,
And so we spurn the codfish egg,
But the helpful hen we prize,
Which indicates to thoughtful minds
It pays to advertise.

Asked to pray for warm weather so that her grandmother's rheumatism might pass away, a five-year-old girl knelt and said: "Oh, Lord, please make it hot for grandma."

SEVEN AGES OF WOMEN

Safety-pins
Whip-pins
Hair-pins
Frat-pins
Diamond-pins
Clothes-pins
Rolling-pins

If she had to stand on her head,
how
We knew she would get at it some-
This poem she has already read,
penny
Now we'll wager four bits to a
If she gets the least kind of a show.
how
But you bet she will find out some-
know,
It's something she ought not to
woman
If there's anything that worries a

GIRLS DON'T READ THIS

DUMBBELLS

Miss Coder: "Lots of girls use dumbbells to get color on their cheeks."

Margaret Evvard: "Yes, and lots of girls use color on their cheeks to get dumbbells."



GIRLS' ATHLETICS

Exact time and date unknown.

Dear Ames High Girls:

Have you heard about the fun girls can have in Athletics? They enjoy them so much they don't even care if they lose the game. I know you've seen those good looking Old English style "A's" several of the girls are wearing. Some letters are small, others larger. They have to work hard for all of them, but the larger ones represent almost twice the effort the small ones do.

Can you play basketball, volleyball, baseball, or tennis? If not, you know I'm always here ready to teach you. This year some girls made the class teams who had never played before. So you see there's always a chance. Even if you don't make a team, you receive points toward your "A" for coming out and practicing. Besides that there's all the fun you get out of it.

Anything you do out doors helps toward your "A." Surely you like to hike and do such things. Remember the times we had in the evening roller skating?

Even those things you should do anyway, count in the Physical Education Class Work and the Health Division.

I know you all want a chance to demonstrate some of that dramatic art of yours, so you'll be interested in our annual initiation program. Every class has a clever stunt. You would die laughing at some of them. Of course this isn't our only initiation. Several times a year we have informal ones in the gym. If you could just listen to it once, you would know how exciting they are.

Did you ever notice those smart banners on the walls of the gym? One of them was earned by the class having the highest total ranking, and the other by the class whose team was successful in the tournament.

You don't want to miss those special assemblies when we make our awards. It will be a treat just to see the girls receive them. Make up your mind to be one of these girls before you leave High School.

I'm not going to say goodbye because I'll always be here and I'm always ready to welcome you.

Your Pal,

G. A. A.

DOROTHY BURNETT, '29.

Margaret
Evvard



Top row: Evvard, Miss Coder, Knuths.
Second row: Burnett, Michaelson, Lathrop, Melhus.

GIRLS' ATHLETIC ASSOCIATION

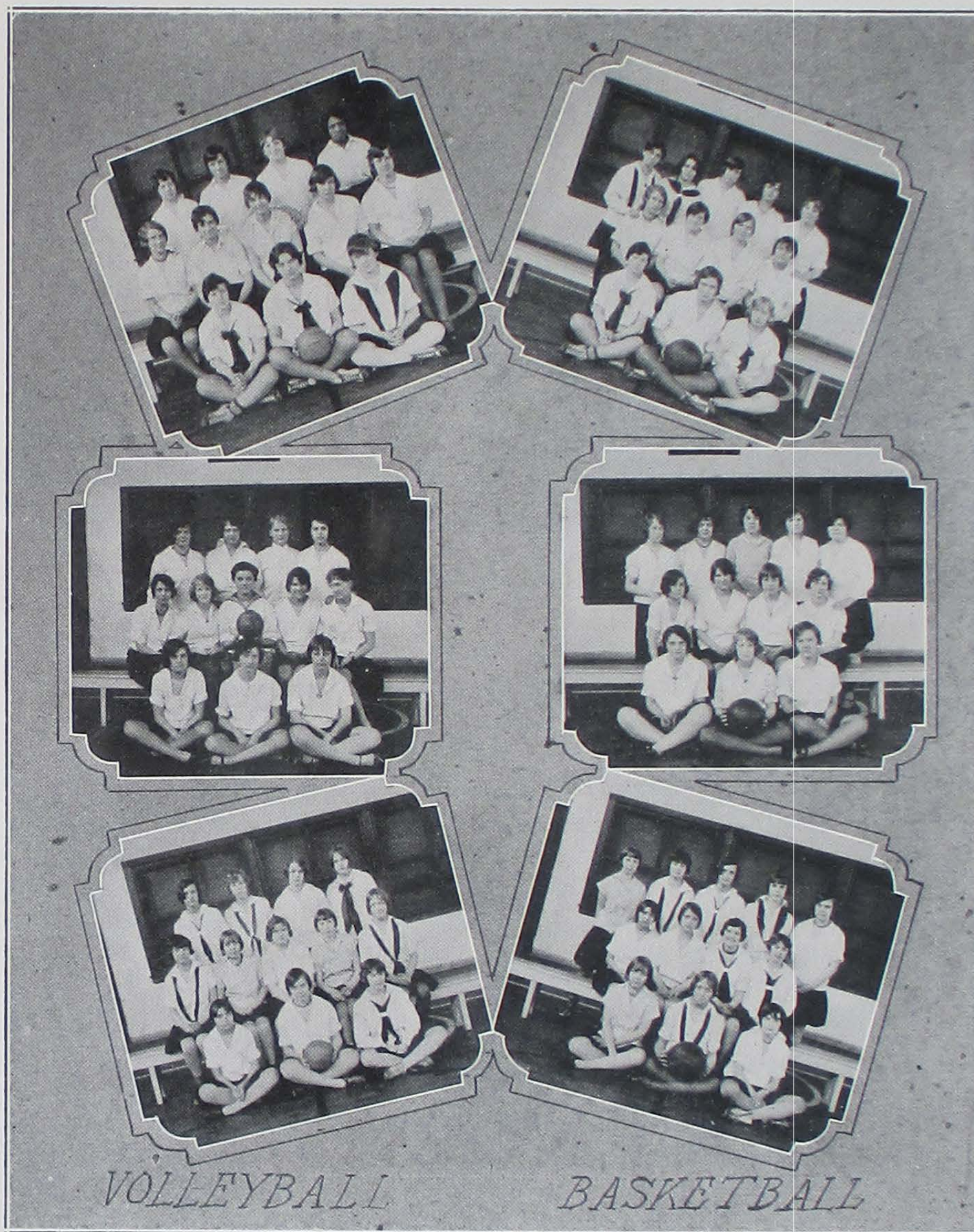
President	Dorothy Burnett
Vice President	Genevieve Lathrop
Secretary and Treasurer	Sarah Melhus
Social Chairman	Margaret Evvard
Point Recorders	Ruth Michaelson, Carita Knuths
Sponsor	Miss Coder

The G. A. A. is an organization in the high school to further girls' athletics and to make it possible for them to earn minor and major "A's." One hundred points must be earned before active membership is attained. In order that the girls may work for these points, the G. A. A. sponsors volleyball, basketball, baseball, and tennis tournaments. The class winning has a numeral put on the banner which hangs in the girls' gymnasium.

Formal initiations followed by informal are held at various times during the year. As it takes two years for any member to receive a major "A," this is the first year any will be awarded.

This organization has made the girls in the high school much more interested in athletics and more active in sports.

DOROTHY BURNETT, '29.





BASKETBALL

Basketball, the most popular of the girls' sports, drew many out for weekly practice. The tournament opened with each team full of confidence. The defeat of the Sophomores by the Seniors in the opening game did not discourage the lower classmen and they entered into the Sophomore-Junior game full of hope. However, the Sophomores went down in sportsmanlike defeat once more. The Junior-Senior game was the climax of the tournament. Splendid teamwork and fast playing were displayed by both teams. Throughout the game the score was close and only after a hard fought battle did the Juniors win by a slight margin.

The results of the tournament were as follows:

Seniors—67	Sophomore—18
Seniors—16	Juniors—18
Juniors—43	Sophomores—17

VOLLEYBALL

The inter-class volleyball tournament opened the girls' athletic season of 1928-29. The Sophomore-Junior Game was the first of the tournament. It was a fast game and the Juniors won only by a narrow margin. The more experienced Seniors gained decisive victories over both the Juniors and the Sophomores, thereby winning the tournament. The results of the games were as follows:

Juniors—55	Sophomores—52
Juniors—36	Seniors—50
Seniors—79	Sophomores—34

BASEBALL AND TENNIS

The girls' spring athletic season consists of baseball and tennis. Practice in both sports started early in April and will continue until the middle of May, when the class tournaments will be played.

Each class has a strong line-up out for practice, and each has hopes of winning the tournaments.



ORDER, PLEASE

Miss Seaman: "Name the thirteen colonies."

Glennon Lloyd: "Shall I name them in order, or skip around?"

Miss Seaman: "You'd better stand still."

BASHFUL?

Allen McCurdy, upon his first date with Anna Marie Gernes, was timid and he asked her many times not to tell anyone he had had a date with her. At last she was exasperated and replied:

"Don't worry, Allen, I'm just as ashamed of it as you are."

AGAINST PROHIBITION

Mary Proctor: "Say, do you realize that THE 'SPIRIT' STAFF is violating the laws of the United States?"

Charles Kinderman: "What makes you think so?"

Mary: "They're selling 'Spirits.'"

AN OLD QUESTION

Marian Hiner: "Do you suppose George Washington was really as honest as they say he was?"

Margaret Andrew: "Certainly not. Why, he was such a terror they even close the banks on his birthday."

AN APT STUDENT

Willie, who was learning by rote, recited one stanza of the *Psalm of Life*, to the delight of his proud parents. It was as follows:

Liza Grape men allry mindus,

Weaken maka Liza Blime,

Andy, Parting Lee B. Hindus

Footbring Johnny Sands a Time.

CHEMISTRY LOVE AFFAIR

Said Atom unto Molly Cule,

"Will you unite with me?"

And Molly Cule did quick retort,

"There's no affinity."

Beneath the electric light plant's shade,

Poor Atom hoped he'd meter.

But she eloped with a rascal base

And her name is Saltpetre.

DIFFERENT KINDS

Mary Scott: "Are all teachers book-worms?"

Mike: "No, Geometry teachers aren't. They're angle-worms."

BY YOUR LEAVE

The following is a bishop's description of the kind of preaching sometimes addressed to fashionable congregations:

"Brethren, unless you repent, in a measure, and be converted, as it were, you will, I regret to say, be damned to some extent."

KIND HUSBAND

"I'm buying a washing-machine for my wife as a birthday present."

"That will be a surprise, eh?"

"Yes, quite! She's expecting a new car."

Woman to tramp: "Go away or I'll call my husband."

Tramp: "Oh, I know 'im. 'E's the little feller who told me to go away yesterday or 'e'd call 'is wife."

A BIT TIGHT

"My Scotch uncle sent me his picture this morning."

"So? How does he look?"

"I don't know; I haven't had it developed yet."



NEWS

CALENDAR

SEPTEMBER

- 10—School begins! Wonder what's in store for us this year.
14—High School Mixer in the Fieldhouse. Everyone seemed to be getting acquainted.
22—First football game—North Des Moines 19—Ames 2. Oh, well, just watch us a little later!

OCTOBER

- 5—A big day for Ames, and for A. H. S.—the Diamond Jubilee Celebration. In the afternoon we played Teacher's College High School and won—19 to 0! Who says it wasn't a big day?
6—Two games in succession proving too much, we bowed to Clarion 6 to 0.
13—A hard battle with Oskaloosa resulted in a scoreless tie.
19—Special Homecoming assembly this morning. Pep Club made its first appearance in the snappy new jackets. This evening a mammoth bonfire took place with speeches from Ames High boosters.
20—Homecoming! We kept up our record of a scoreless tie with Newton, and had lots of pep and loyalty at the best Homecoming banquet Ames High has ever had.
26—Girl Reserves Hard Times Party. Every old girl had a "date" with a new one. More fun!
27—In a close game, we yielded to Marshalltown—6 to 0. Next year's coming—'nuff said!

NOVEMBER

- 3—Forgetting our politeness as guests, we downed Story City—31 to 0.
8 and 9—State Teachers' Convention at Des Moines. And for us—one grand rest!
10—Whee! What a glorious game—Ames 14—Boone 6. Everyone's crazy with joy.
16—Preliminary Declamatory Contest. Our side still hurt from laughing. Afterward, the Brass Quartette made a big hit.
17—In spite of wintry weather, we journeyed to Grinnell, and won 13 to 6.
23—Another Declamatory contest. This time instead of roaring with laughter we furtively shed a few tears. We'd hate to have to pick the winner.
Delegation of Journalists go to Press Convention at Grinnell.
24—Neither Ames nor Valley Junction was able to score in the football game here.
28—Final Declamatory Contest. Ames High surely has something to be proud of in her "silver-tongued orators."
29—Thanksgiving! Just to celebrate we won from Nevada 26 to 0. Another day tomorrow on which to celebrate too!

DECEMBER

- 7—The Alumni challenged our Ames High debaters for a dual. Of course Ames won.

THE SPIRIT

- 10—Boys' basketball tournament—Sophs. vs. Juniors. The Sophomores were the lucky winners.
11—Boys' basketball tournament. Juniors vs. Seniors. The Seniors won.
12—Magic! Magic! We were lucky to have a splendid magician here who kept his audience completely mystified.
13—Junior class play, "Come Out of the Kitchen." Clever comedy.
14—"Spirit Staff" gave a play, the main theme was "Buy an Annual."
Seniors beat the Sophs. in the Boys' basketball tournament.
School dismissed for Christmas.
31—Back to school again after a delightful vacation.

JANUARY

- 8—Girls' Volleyball tournament. Seniors defeated the Sophs.
9—Seniors successfully won against the Juniors in a Volleyball tournament.
10—Dual debate with Boone here.
11—"Ali Baba and the Forty Thieves" at the Field House in the afternoon.
"She Stoops to Conquer" was given at night by the company, The Coffey-Miller Players.
Ames met Marshalltown in basketball at Marshalltown.
12—Ames wrestled Carroll for a victory.
22—Help! Help! Semester Exams!!
25—The Dramatic Club presented two splendid one-act plays. One was a comedy, while the other was a dramatic production.
28—Rejoicingly reluctant we began the second half of this year.

FEBRUARY

- 1—Boone visited us to play a friendly game of basketball.
2—Our wrestling squad went to Eagle Grove, and our basketball players to Story City.
5—The debate section of public speaking took a trip to Perry.
7—Maxwell showed Ames what good talkers they are, in a debate.
8—High School Operetta, "Pickles," went off with a bang!
Announcing of new High School Shield designed by Virgin Reddy.
Our Basketball team went to Newton.
9—Eldora's wrestlers gave us a very interesting meet.
12—Valley Junction debate team came over to chat awhile.
13—Our debaters enjoyed a journey to Webster City.
14—Webster City enjoyed a journey to Ames to a debate.
16—We played a scorching game with North Des Moines in Ames.
20—Minburn was glad to greet our worthy debaters in a small argument.
22—Iowa State Wrestling Meet was held at the College.
23—Again Mrs. Gaunt took her debaters away. This time to Eagle Grove.

MARCH

- 1-2—Sectional Basketball Tournament at Boone.
Ames fought a hard battle and won.



THE SPIRIT

4—We listened to the Honorable President Hoover's Inaugural, practically all day.

8—Story City was the scene of the Sub-district Music Contest. Ames won six firsts and one second.

Quill and Scroll copy of the Web, announcing the new members.

12—Roosevelt debaters came to call.

14—We returned Roosevelt's call.

County Basketball Tournament began.

15—Our declamatory representatives went to Maxwell.

County Basketball Tournament continued with much zest.

Quill and Scroll Luncheon.

16—County Basketball Tournament came to a close. We must say we are good losers.

19—Hi-Y Conference and Banquet.

21—Girl Reserves hold their Mother-Daughter Banquet.

22—We are thankful for small favors, especially teacher's conventions, when they give us an unexpected holiday.

Kenneth Ruggles and James McCurdy entered the National Wrestling Meet at Chicago.

23—We hope the teachers enjoyed themselves as much as we.

26—An Original Oratorical Contest was held at Nevada. Llewellyn Pickett was our only representative there.

30—Whoopie! We won six first places in the District Music Contest. Whoopie!

APRIL

1—April Fool's Day and on Monday.

4—Special Assembly—Prof. Alfred Hottess, Ohio U.

11—Dramatic Club play, "Smilin' Through," given at the Field House.

26—Band and Vocal High School Music Concert.

MAY

2-3—Music Contest at Iowa City. One hundred and ten contestants from Ames. A jolly group, lots of fun.

24-25—Senior Class Play, "The Thirteenth Chair." A mystery play given at the Fieldhouse.

26—Class Sermon.

27—A short trip taken to Ledges by Senior Class for breakfast.

Junior-Senior Banquet at I. S. C. Memorial Union.

29—Class Night.

31—Commencement Exercises. Talk given by President of Cornell College. Farewell, Old Ames High!

ANAFRED STEPHENSON, '29.

REGINA KILDEE, '30.

BERTHA HALL, '29.



HOMEcoming

A car sped by the field on Lincoln way. My word, what is that pile of rubbish? Why, that's only the boxes, etc., that have been piled up for the High School Bonfire and Pep Meeting tonight. They are getting ready for their Homecoming game tomorrow. Sure enough, that evening the pile of junk burst into flame. The students turned out in force and a very enthusiastic Pep Meeting was held.

The next afternoon a peppy, hilarious crowd gathered at the field. Among other things they were heard to exclaim at the clever way the field was adorned with the school colors. The exciting game finally came to its thrilling close, and the talk of the crowd all changed to discussion of the banquet to be at six o'clock. We all rushed home to get ready for the great event. It took some speedy work to get home, dressed, and back again on time.

The banquet room was beautifully decorated with bright colored fall leaves and the tables all looked lovely. The members of our own team, each with a guest from the visiting team, sat the speaker's table. The Pep Club sat at one table and the alumnae of various classes sat in groups throughout the room. During the banquet we sang a great deal and afterwards there were some very interesting speeches from both Newton and Ames.

This was the second homecoming banquet we have had with Newton and each time the game has come out a scoreless tie.

ALICE AGG, '29.

MAY FETE, 1928

The May fête was planned after the fashion of the Olden Times in Merry England.

At six-thirty the students lined up for the parade which was led by the band. The parade consisted of the queen, preceded by her crown-bearer and accompanied by her maidens. Next came the May pole dancers. Following the dancers came the Pageant people, Ceres, Jupiter and the Grecian Maidens, Prosarpina in her white chariot, Pluto in his black chariot, the snow ball dancers, and the scarf dancers.

When the park was reached the Pageant opened by a processional. The Queen was crowned by the cardinal, and then the May Pole Dance took place.

The Pageant which followed was based on the Grecian legend in which Pluto captured Prosarpina and took her from the earth. While she was gone, her mother, Ceres, refused to make the flowers grow.

Finally Prosarpina was released and spring with its flowers came to the world.

ALICE AGG, '29.





JUNIOR-SENIOR BANQUET, 1928

Many, many busy Juniors; many, many mysterious gatherings; and all the school wondered, for Miss Seaman's room was the center of attraction for the Juniors not only after school but also in the evenings.

This continued for what seemed to us, a long time, when finally one May evening, the secret was disclosed to us, as we were ushered into a delightful Balloon Garden. There, under a sky of the most beautiful pastel colorings, extending down to the white lattice work, gayly decorated with flowers, and from which many different hues of balloons were bobbing around from their slender chords, we stood entranced.

Truly, one had the feeling of intruding on some fairy queen's garden, the decorations were so exquisite. It was a work of art, one might almost say a work of magic.

The Ohs! and Ahs! of the appreciative group were quite audible as we found our places at the tables and again noted the work of deft fingers in the dainty rose nut cups, the large rose candle holders with long tapers, the clever programs and arrangement of flowers.

Franklin Pettit played the role of Toastmaster in a very dignified way, and many responded to his unique introductions with interesting toasts.

All too soon, the happy evening drew to a close, and with reluctant backward glances we left the Magic Garden, wishing to take the gayety, the brightness, the joyousness with us. And indeed we did, for the Junior-Senior Banquet of 1928 under the supervision of Miss Ethel Seaman was an event long to be remembered by all who attended it.

ANAFRED STEPHENSON, '29.

GIRL RESERVE SOCIAL FUNCTIONS

The High School Mixer was the first social function of the school year, sponsored by the Girl Reserves. The Hi-Y joined with them in making the Sophomores feel they really had a place in the Senior High School. The Field House was indeed the center of attraction that evening. A program was presented by the different students. Bob Hawley entertained on his saxophone, accompanied by Ruth Feroe. A Kozoo Orchestra and a play, "At the Movies," were special features of the entertainment.

A little later in the year a Hard-Time Date Party was given in the Girl Reserve Club so that the girls could become better acquainted. Several games were played, a balloon blowing contest, a grand march, and Ghost Stories, caused the most of the fun of the evening. The Gym was decorated with corn stalks and pumpkins to give a Hallowe'en effect.

At the close of the Friendship Conference, a Mother-Daughter Banquet was held at the Christian Church. The Girl Reserve theme of the year, Windows, was carried out in the program and decorations. The tables were decorated with blue tapers and jonquils. Blue crepe paper hung from the ceiling and windows. Miss Tracy from Waterloo was our out-of-town speaker. Mrs. Cunningham talked from the mother's viewpoint, Miss Coder from the teacher's, and Anafred Stephenson from the girl's standpoint.

In many ways this has been a happy year for all the Girl Reserves.

MARJORIE DUNLAP, '29.



FACULTY PARTIES

The induction of the five new members into the mysteries of the Loyal Order of the Davis Pedagogues will furnish pleasant memories for those who were able to participate in the unique service.

Mysterious black hand letters, written in blood and delivered by the "Three Musketeers," instructed the quintet to report at a certain mysterious place for further instructions.

Telephone messages, in the meantime, had cautioned the frightened five to be ready at the appointed time.

Finally the Hour of Doom arrived and with it arrived Chief of Police Cure and one of his men who placed the still more frightened five under arrest and immediately headed for police headquarters with them.

The headquarters proved to be the P. L. Davis home. One by one the shrinking representatives of the Language, Library, Speech and Mathematics Departments were presented to Judge Davis, who heard the evidence in each case and passed sentence.

The neophytes proved themselves worthy of full membership in the serving of their sentences and in due season were paroled. Thereupon, the entire group welcomed them into this Mysterious Order with an evening of hilarious merriment.

The High School Faculty appropriately chose St. Valentine's Day to honor Irma Flickinger before her departure for another field of service.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. P. L. Davis again furnished the setting for this pleasant surprise.

The public Valentine Auction was one event which furnished gayety for all. Imagine a faculty member bidding, "One sawed-off shot gun"; a second purchasing a valentine with "One blind date," and still a romantic third out-bidding dangerous rivals with "A canoe for two on a moonlight night."

After this rollicking good time, this very sedate group settled down with pencils and the valentines purchased at such a cost, to write poems to the honor guest.

Time and imagination revealed a Shakespeare, who dared to disregard the Metrical System, a Longfellow who dared to write in blank verse, and an Eddie Guest who dared to call his rhymes poetry.

It was with deep emotion and feeling that these innermost thoughts were poured forth to Irma, after apparent hours of excruciating preparation. Strange as it may seem, but even on St. Valentine's Day, poetry may fail to come, even a sage.

Irma was presented with a gift as a token of the high esteem and fine appreciation the High School Faculty felt for her

MISS ETHEL SEAMAN.

HI-Y VOCATIONAL CONFERENCE

Tuesday noon, March 19, 1929, a group composed of about one hundred Ames men and High School Boys met at the Christian Church for a vocational dinner. This played an important part in the Conference.

An excellent meal was served, which put everyone in the proper mood for the singing that followed, led by Norris Wentworth.

The speaker was Prof. Giese of the Agricultural Department at the college, who gave an interesting talk on methods of choosing a vocation.

Following the dinner, such senior boys as desired had conferences with various local men who had agreed to help the boys with any problems they might have.

Due credit should be given Mr. Vanderlinden and the Hi-Y Cabinet for the success of the conference.

JOHN COYKENDALL, '30.

DRAMATIC CLUB INITIATION

The Ames High Dramatic Club held their first initiation in the Girls' Gym on the evening of March 6. The new members were ushered into this organization amid the tune of paddles and the taste of syrup, cotton, and mechurochrome, all of which was greatly enjoyed by their more fortunate brothers, already members.

Following this informal program, Mrs. Gaunt, sponsor of the Club, briefly gave the plot, setting, and characters of the play, "Smilin' Through," preparatory to try-outs which were to be held later in the evening.

After the joyous meal hour, the try-outs were held. Interesting, isn't it, to watch your friends extemporaneously imitate a hero, heroine, or villain? But then, your turn comes eventually.

Since this is the first year that the Dramatic Club has limited its members by means of try-outs, which were held at the beginning of the school year, a regular formal initiation has not yet been planned. Hereafter, however, a formal initiation will precede the informal.

MARY COLLINS, '30.

MUSIC FESTIVAL

After working very zealously for considerable time, the Ames High Music students have been rewarded. In the District Music Festival held here, Ames received six firsts, a second, and a third.

The Boys' Glee Club, the Mixed Chorus, the Girls' Glee Club, the Band, the Brass Quartet, and the Boys' Vocal Quartet, all won first place over a number of other contestants.

Ames should certainly appreciate the good work Miss Boyer does. Every year she takes a new group of untrained voices and coaches them to the State championship. She has the knack of getting her students to work with her and for her, to the extent that there is more team work and coöperation in these music groups than ever can be found in athletics.

Mr. Day is also to be commended. Although his band lacks instrumentation, he was able to train them to the extent that they far overshadowed their opponents.

This group of one hundred ten music students is entitled to the trip to Iowa City, and we sincerely hope they are as victorious there.

ANAFRED STEPHENSON, '29.



THE GRINNELL PRESS CONVENTION

One Friday morning, about the middle of November, eight Ames High School journalists, with Miss Kinner as chaperone, boarded the morning train for Grinnell, to attend the Press Convention. Arriving there about ten o'clock, they registered, had their rooms in the dormitories assigned, and hurried to a downtown theatre to see a very interesting movie on "The Modern Newspaper." This over, they hurried back for a much appreciated lunch, then proceeded to the football field where they witnessed the exciting Grinnell-Creighton game. A tea-dance followed the game, and after that a banquet was held in the Women's Quadrangle. The climax of this busy day was a talk by W. G. Bleyer, director of the school of journalism at the University of Wisconsin.

The next morning, the Ames delegation divided its forces sending part of its members to the Discussion on the Business Management of the Annual, part to the Discussion on Editing a School Publication, and part to the Conference in News Reporting. These very educational conferences, in which were heard talks from men well known in the field of journalism, were over about noon. After lunch, they returned for a short business meeting. When this was over, the Convention proper had closed, and the Ames group took the next train home, unanimously agreeing that they had had a worthwhile as well as an entertaining trip.

REGINA KILDEE, '30.

QUILL AND SCROLL LUNCHEON

On Friday, March 15, the newly elected members of Quill and Scroll, together with the one old member, the sponsors of the organization, Superintendent Davis and Principal Davis enjoyed a luncheon at the Christian Church. The table, which was very beautifully decorated with daffodils, St. Patrick's nuteups, and tapers, looked very springlike. The placecards, which were little scrolls with green quills attached were very much admired, and especially appropriate. After a delicious luncheon, Superintendent Davis briefly outlined the opportunities for journalism, both here in Ames High School, and in the business world, making us feel really inspired. Next Miss Kinnier sketched the history and purposes of the Quill and Scroll organization, and the new members promised to uphold a high standard of journalism during their entire lives. Principal Davis then gave a speech of welcome to these members as the closing part of the program. All agree that this was the very nicest sort of initiation and, gave a vote of thanks to those who had made it possible.

REGINA KILDEE, '30.



THE HEPATICA

While walking in the woods one day
In early, early spring,
I heard the squirrels chatter,
I heard a robin sing;
I pushed aside some old brown leaves,
And there, what did I see?
A tiny blue hepatica
Peeped shyly up at me.
Oh, tiny messenger of spring
With your small golden star,
You lovely, delicate little thing,
How beautiful you are!
Some flowers may grace a fairer place,
Some may be of brighter hue,
But none has such an innocent face,
Oh, little flower, as you.

CARMEN RUSHIA, '30.



HUMOR

SAFETY FIRST

"Offisher, you'd better lock me up. Jush hit my wife over the head with a club."

"Did you kill her?"

"Don't think sho. Thash why I want to be locked up."

OBEDIENT

P. L.: "Well, did you read the letter I sent you?"

Dick Paulson: "Yes; I read it inside and out. On the inside it said, 'You are fired,' and on the outside it said, 'Return in five days,' so here I am."

PROOF OF VALOR

Wife: "When we were married, I thought you were a brave man."

Husband: "So did a great many other people."

MARTYR TO DUTY

Professor Father: "Jane, it seems to me that young man should be more conscientious."

Jane: "Conscientious! Why, he just sits and worries himself sick because he doesn't go home and study."

RETIRES EARLY

Rosalie Kelso: "Are you fond of indoor sports?"

Leone Baker: "Yes, if they don't stay too late."

HOLLYWOOD TRIMMINGS

"I couldn't even think of marriage unless you can offer me the same sort of life I have been accustomed to see in the films."

IT WON'T BE LONG

Pedestrian: "What is the shortest way to the emergency hospital?"

Cop: "Just stand right where you are."

IN THE GOOD OLD DAYS

"Girls were harder to kiss in your days, weren't they, Grandpa?"

"Well, mebbe; but it wasn't so blame dangerous. The ol' parlor sofa wasn't apt to smash into a tree jest about the time ye got all puckered up."

EXCUSE IT, PLEASE

Often when conscience tries to speak it finds the line busy.

SUGGESTIONS KINDLY RECEIVED

Mr. Day: "This blueberry pie looks queer, dear."

Mrs. Day: "Oh, honey, maybe I put in too much blueing."

PASS IT AROUND

"Have you some of the gasoline that stops knocking?"

Service Station Attendant: "Yes, sir."

"Then give my wife a glass of it."

A certain man, who is very religious and also very businesslike, starts his prayer in this manner: "This is Jones speaking."

EXHAUSTED

Doctor to wealthy patient: "Yes, you're all run down. I suggest that you lay off golf for a while, return to business, and get a good rest at your office."



AS WE SEE OURSELVES

Best Sport	Ruth Hawley
Best Liked	Anafred Stephenson
Biggest Feet	Joe Buchanan
Biggest Ears	Harry McGriff
Loudest Voice	Mildred Bennett
Sweetest Voice	Mary Jane Williams
Curliest Hair	Zinabelle Dixon
Best Arguer	Richard Paulson
Most Freckles	Nancy Manning
Teachers' Pet	Robert Hawley
Best Writer	LeRoy Daubert
Most Conscientious	Jeannette Friederich
Most Reckless	Robert Norris
Cleverest	LeRoy Daubert
Cutest	Ruth Feroe
Most Sarcastic	Mary Scott
Best Looking	(Marjorie Sill Paul Cameron
Most Athletic	Kenneth Ruggles
Most Musical	Ruth Feroe
Most Studious	Katherine Kratoska
Peppiest	Beulah Iler
Best All Around Girl	Ruth Hawley
Best All Around Boy	Bob Hawley
Worst Writer	Norman Levine
Tallest	Hubert Van Scoy
Shortest	Lucetta Underwood
Slowest	Ruth Arrowsmith



Durrell, Murray, Thompson.



ME AND MINE



Hawley, Kelly, Pettit.



OUR HOME ROOM



BLUE HEAVEN



WARM-THO-COLD



HISTORY



ROUGHING IT?



IDEAL EXAM

1. If a square is three feet long, how wide is it?
2. What was the color of Washington's gray mare?
3. How long did the hundred year's war last?
4. Who participated in the French and Indian war?
5. What countries fought in the Spanish-American war?
6. How many states were made of the thirteen original colonies?
7. Where was the California gold rush made to?
8. What is the shape of a circle?
9. How many sides has a triangle?
10. Out of fifty-six men killed in battle, how many died?
11. Who was on the throne during King William's war?
12. Who made Lincoln's Gettysburg address at Gettysburg?
13. Where was Lincoln's Gettysburg address delivered?
14. Who wrote Shakespeare's "Julius Caesar?"
15. Who invented the Ford?
16. How does one read the calendar?

Little Alice Agg saw the moon early in the afternoon. "Oh!" she called to her mother, "I see the moon, but it's not lighted yet!"

A NEW ANGLE

Craig Stephenson: "Pa, was Job a doctor?"

Mr. Stephenson: "Not that I know of."

Craig: "Then why do people have so much to say about the *patients* of Job?"

Rockefeller has seven dollars for every person in the United States. Have you received yours?

A KEEN WIFE

"My dear," remarked Jones, who had just finished reading *The Wonders of Nature*, "nature is marvelous. When I read a book like this it makes me think how puerile, how insignificant is man."

"Huh!" said his wife, "a woman doesn't have to wade through 400 pages to discover that."

HOW TRUE

You can always tell a Senior,
He is so sedately dressed.
You can always tell a Junior,
By the way he swells his chest.
You can always tell a Sophomore,
By the timid look and such.
You can always tell a teacher,
But, you can't tell her much.

TRY AGAIN

Paul Coe (frantically over phone):
"I've turned turtle."

Voice from Garage: "Wrong number. Apply at the aquarium."

AND WHY

"Here, young man, you shouldn't hit that boy when he's down."

"Gwan! What do yer think I got 'im down for?"

YOUR MOVE

Mr. M. G.: "What are you standing there for?"

"Edward Grey: "Nothing."

Mr. M. G.: "Well, move on. If everybody stood still in one place, how would the others get past?"

SERIOUS

Sally Melhus: "Do you think I need a coach for French?"

Miss Tingley: "A coach! You need a whole train."



PHILOSOPHIES OF LIFE

Dorothy Burnett—If it is noisy around you, be noisy with the rest. If it is quiet, be as noisy as possible.

Bill Nunamaker—Work as little as possible; the chief thing is to get by.

Dorothy Nelson—A little knowledge is a dangerous thing. I refuse to be endangered.

Bob Hawley—All girls are nice, so why confine yourself to one?

Norman Harvey—Don't bring a girl near me!

Mike Stuhlsatz—Slang has it all over the English language and I'm strong for it.

Marjorie Sill—You may not amount to much, but if you blow-hard enough you may fool someone into thinking you do.

Bob Dawson—Dunno what philosophy is, and I ain't worried. All I need is a good time.

West Twins—Eat all you want. It makes you fat, but happy.

Max Hedrick—Meek and tender! I would not swat a fly.

Byron Tripp—Hard-boiled and rough! That's what gets by.

LeRoy Daubert—Life would be worse than useless if it were not for the women.



DOIN' THE RACCOON



BR-R-R-R!



ENOUGH SAID!



DEAR OLD DAD!



WORKING HARD!



SMILE PLEASE



OUR GANG



OUR OWN NURSERY RHYMES

Anafred, Anafred, where have you been?
 I've been to Grinnell to the Press Convention.
 Anafred, Anafred, what did you there?
 I took part in discussion and talked all I dared.

Where are you going my pretty Jane,
 "I'm going to school, Franklin," she feigned.
 "And may I go with you," he replied.
 "If you carry my books, you may," she cried.

Dan Hughes could not sing high,
 And Mac could not sing low,
 So with Paul and Al placed in between
 They made the quartette just so.

Dicky Paulson, keen and sly,
 Teased the girls and made them cry,
 When Norman Harvey came out to play,
 Dicky Paulson ran away.

Diddle, diddle, dumpling, Lynn Richardson
 Went to sing with such a scowl on,
 Ruth Hawley smiled and the frown was gone,
 Diddle, diddle, dumpling, Lynn Richardson.

Jim and Kenneth went to Chicago
 To win for Ames Wrestling a name,
 But when they got there,
 Jim was caught in a snare,
 And Kenneth brought second place honor to Ames.

Frances Mattox sat in the library,
 Reading a History Essay.
 Up came Joe Schneider, and sat down beside her,
 And frightened poor Frances away.

As Rosalie and Charley
 Were walking out one Sunday,
 Said Rosalie to Charley
 Tomorrow will be Monday.



Little Alice has lost her "Lefty,"
And don't know where to find him,
Leave him alone and he'll come home
Bringing a football behind him.

Norman Levine, come blow your horn,
The band is waiting, don't be so forlorn,
Oh, where is the little boy who plays like a Duke?
He's up in the library reading a book.

LeRoy Daubert sat in the hall.
LeRoy, all in vain did call,
But all the athletes and Public Speech men
Couldn't keep the halls silent again.

Hey, diddle, diddle,
Farwell and his fiddle.
Elva rushed out of the room;
Ephram laughed to see such sport
And Louis ran away with the bassoon.

Margaret, Margaret, quite contrary,
How do your lessons go?
Geom, History, French and Gym,
And typing all in a row?

O, where and O, where has Regina gone?
O, where and O, where can she be?
Strolling down the hall with Walter along,
O yes, O yes, it is she.

Glennon, Glennon, why do you roam?
I just went to take Mildred home.
Glennon, Glennon, what did you then?
Came back to school and studied "Chem."

Old Ames High is a cheery old place,
A cheery old place, indeed.
Here we sing and play and jump and run
And study when we need.



HOLES UPSIDE DOWN

Two men were waiting for a train and one said: "I will ask you a question, and if I cannot answer my own question, I will buy the tickets. Then you ask a question, and if you cannot answer your own, you buy the tickets." "

The other agreed to this.

"Well," the first man said, "you see those rabbit-holes? How do they dig those holes without leaving any dirt around them?" "

The other confessed: "I don't know. That's your question, so answer it yourself."

The first man winked and replied: "They begin at the bottom and dig up!" "

"But," said the second man, "how do they get at the bottom to begin?" "

"That's your question," was the first man's rejoinder. "Answer it yourself." The other man bought the tickets.

INGENIUS ALIBI

Servant: "The doctor's here, sir."

Absent-minded man: "I can't see him. Tell him I'm sick."

A TEN OR TWENTY?

Norman Harvey: "What was the denomination of that bill you loaned me?" "

Paul Coe: "Episcopalian, I guess; it keeps lent."

The reason girls kiss each other, and men do not, is that girls have nothing better to kiss and men have.

PARTICULAR

"Miss your train?" "

"No, I didn't like it, so I chased it off the platform."

OBSERVANT RUTH

Mrs. Hawley: "Every time you do something naughty I get another gray hair."

Ruth: "Gee, you must have been a corker. Look at Grandma's gray hair."

HE NAMED IT

Chubby: "Please, Jane, won't you marry me?" "

Jane: "Yes, if you can tell me one thing we have in common."

Chubby: "Well, I think you're beautiful."

A HERO

"And there, my son, you have the story of your dad and the great war."

"Yes, but, dad—why did they need all the other soldiers?" "

HELP!

Kenneth Allen: "I've lost my new car."

Kenny Ruggles: "Why don't you report it to the police?" "

Kenneth: "That's who has it."

EVEN AS YOU AND I

A Fool there was and he hitched his star

(Even as you and I)

To a second-hand bus all mud and tar—

We called it a joke that had gone too far,

But the Fool, he called it his motor-car.

(Even as you and I.)

CALL LATER

Tramp: "Any old clothes, madam?" "

Lady: "Yes, but I'm wearing them."



ALL LIT UP

Having been told that it was electricity that made his mother's hair snap when she combed it, Johnny bragged to a visitor:

"We've a wonderful family, mother has electricity on her hair, and grandma has gas on her stomach."

Now-a-days every man is entitled to life, liberty, and an automobile in which to pursue his happiness.

SENTIMENTS OF D. F. N.

As soon as day begins to dawn
The meadow-larks start singing.
As soon as evening comes, a star—
The angel's lamp—starts swinging.
As soon as I am in the tub
The telephone starts ringing.

QUITE SMALL

"Is your kitchen small?"
"It's so small, we have to use condensed milk."

HOW TO BE YOUR ANCESTOR

A man in a letter to the Harrodsburg *Herald* claims he is his own grandfather. His letter says: "I married a widow with a grown daughter. My father, a widower, married my step-daughter, thus becoming my son-in-law and his wife, formerly my step-daughter, became my stepmother also. My wife also became my grandmother, for she was the mother of my stepmother and as the husband of anyone's grandmother is called granddad, I must be my own grandfather."

SOME CLASS

Miss Hartsook: "Why, class, this is the worst recitation I've had in a long time; I've had to do most of it myself."

THERE'S A REASON

Miss Tingley: "I don't know what is the matter with that man over there. He was so attentive a few moments ago and now he won't even look at me."

Mrs. Gaunt: "Perhaps he saw me come in. He's my husband."

TOO MANY HOLES

Mrs. Newwed (at the dinner table): "I was going to have some sponge cake as a surprise for you, dear, but I confess it was a failure."

Mr. Newwed: "What was the matter?"

Mrs. Newwed: "I don't know for sure, but I think the store sent me the wrong kind of sponges."

OBEYING ORDERS

Two farmers met on the road and pulled up.

"Si, I've gat a mule with distemper. What'd ye give that one of yours when he had it?"

"Turpentine. Giddap."

A week later they met again.

"Say, Si, I gave my mule turpentine, and it killed him."

"Killed mine, too. Giddap."

CAT OUT OF THE BAG

"Miss Lamb—er—Sylvia—there's a question I've been wanting to ask you for weeks."

"Carry on, old thing, the answer's been waiting for months."

WATCH—LOOK—LISTEN

A cross-eyed man was driving an auto when he ran into a buggy.

"Why, don't you look where you're going?" he shouted to the driver of the horse.

"Why don't you go where you look?" replied the other.



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ALL SMILES



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